

LADYSMITH IS RELIEVED

Gen. Dundonald and His Men Enter the Beleaguered City.

EXCITEMENT THROUGHOUT GREAT BRITAIN.

The Pall Mall Gazette Says it is Impossible to Forecast the Result—Congratulations from Mayors of Canadian Cities.

Special Associated Press Dispatches to The Tribune.

London, March 1.

The War Office has received the following despatch from General Buller:

Lyttleton's Headquarters, March 1.—"General Dundonald, with the Natal Carabiners and a composite regiment, entered Ladysmith last night. The country between me and Ladysmith is reported clear of the enemy. I am moving on Nelthorpe."

Paardeberg, Feb. 28, Evening.—The Boers are reported in force to the southwest of here. The British residents are well and cheerful. A report from Gen. Clements says that the evacuation of Colesburg has been accomplished, British troops entering this morning and being received with enthusiasm. The Boer army is now in full retreat, being badly disorganized. The railway line has been kept clear and trains are moving between here and Lanewelwana's siding.

ENTHUSIASM IN LONDON.
The Great Bell of St. Paul's Cathedral Rings Forth the Glad Tidings.

London, March 1.—When the news of the relief of Ladysmith became generally known London went literally mad with joy. Throughout the length and breadth of England the scenes witnessed have had no parallel in the modern history of the Empire. The Lord Mayor of London at once wired his congratulations to Gen. White and Buller. When the Queen received the news at Windsor the bells on the cuspel tower of the castle were rung merrily in honor of the event. The terribly anxious strain of 118 days duration which had kept the nation in suspense was removed and everybody felt relieved. All thoughts of business was removed. On the Stock Exchange the purveyors of puds and calls suspended their usual avocations and joined in singing the National anthem. Throughout England business of all kinds was suspended at 1 p.m., all the stores putting up the shutters and giving the employees a holiday. Perhaps the most significant act in the general rejoicing was the ringing of the great bell in St. Paul's Cathedral, which is rung on rare occasions only, such as tolling on the death of one of the royal family or pealing merrily on the occasion of some national event. At the War Office great crowds blocked the lobbies, all struggling to have personal evidence of the glad tidings. Cheers were given heartily for Gen. Buller, Lord Dundonald and the other heroes of the hour.

GEN. BULLER'S DESPATCH.

The Garrison at Ladysmith were on Reduced Rations—Horses and Mules for Feed.

London, March 1, 7:02 p.m.—The following are the terms of Gen. Buller's despatch:

Nelthorpe, March 1, 5:20 p.m.—I have just returned from Ladysmith. Except a small garrison north of Surprise Hill the whole of the enemy lately besieging the town have retired in hot haste. To the south of the town the country is quite clear of them. The garrison was on half a pound of meat per man a day, and they were supplied

menting the meat rations by horses and mules. The men will a little nursing before being fit for the field.

A LONDON VERDICT.
Great Credit Due to Lord Roberts—Impossible to Forecast the Result.

London, March 1.—After the time of excitement the nation has gone through it must be admitted that the credit for the Empire's success rests as assuredly with Lord Roberts as though he had personally ridden into the beleaguered city of Ladysmith. The sufferings and privations of the British subjects in Ladysmith are over, and the nation renders a tribute of gratitude and admiration to Gen. White and his immortal garrison.

The Pall Mall Gazette says it believes it is impossible to forecast the result of the relief of Ladysmith or the duration of the war, which may yet culminate in a protracted struggle before Pretoria.

The Westminster Gazette says that the news this morning obliterated for the moment full memory of the long and costly and, we fear we must add, wasteful operation that has gone before. Thanks to the admirable strategy of Roberts and Kitchener, the whole situation is revolutionized,

CONGRATULATIONS.

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Answer to Canadian.

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THE QUEEN'S SORROW

Over Death of Canadians is Touched With Admiration.

CANADIAN LOSSES WERE HEAVY.

Eight of the Royal Canadian Regiment Killed—Major Pelletier and 29 Soldiers Wounded—Names and Companies of the Men Who Died and Suffered to Death

Crone.

THE QUEEN'S MESSAGE.

Ottawa, Feb. 28.—His Excellency Lord Minto, yesterday received the following:

"London, Feb. 28.—Her Majesty the Queen desires you to express to the people of the Dominion her admiration of the gallant conduct of her Canadian troops in the late engagement, and her sorrow at the loss of so many brave men. (Signed) Chamberlain."

OUR DEAD AND WOUNDED.

Eight Canadians Killed, Major Pelletier and 29 Other Canadians Wounded—The Severely Wounded 18.

Ottawa, Ont., Feb. 28.—Monday's action outside of Cronje's camp was costly enough to the Canadians and they did not achieve the results mentioned in Lord Roberts' despatch without heavy loss, as may be seen from the following list of killed and wounded:

The Killed.

Private F. C. Page, Governor-General's Body Guard, Toronto.

Private Ormond, 93rd, Cumberland Battalion.

Private Johnston, 27th Lambton Battalion.

Private Scott. There are two Scotts out of the Lambton Battalion, the other is Edward W. Cumpland. It is not known which.

Private Withers, 83rd Cumberland.

Private Biggs. Possibly Biggs as no Biggs in the official regimental list.

Corporal Withy, "B" Company, Royal Canadian Artillery.

Private Quinn, Royal Canadian Regiment.

Wounded.

"C" Co., Western—Pte. N. Hughes, 90th Battalion, Winnipeg. Pte. S. S. Harrison, 5th Bn. A. E. Wardell, 7th Fusiliers, London. Pte. J. Sutherland, 25th Elgin Battalion.

"C" Co., Toronto—Pte. J. R. Vickers, 10th Royal Grenadiers. Pte. W. C. Holland, 17th Battalion.

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"D" Co., Ottawa—Pte. C. Hilland, 16th Prince Edward Battalion. Pte. F. Croft, 16th Prince Edward Battalion. Pte. C. T. Thomas, G.G.F.G.

Ottawa, Pte. F. J. Living, 43rd Ottawa and Carleton Rifles; Pte. J. F. McComby, G.G.F.G., Ottawa; Corp. W. S. Brady, 43rd Ottawa and Carleton Rifles.

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Paardeberg, Feb. 27.—In a very successful attack made by the Royal Canadian Regiment on one of the enemy's trenches this morning Major Pelletier was wounded, eight men were killed, and 29 men wounded.

General Macdonald is expected to return to duty in a few days.

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CRONJE'S SURRENDER

He Capitulates Unconditionally to Lord Roberts.

CANADIANS GAVE FINAL BLOW.

Warm Words of Praise for the Dominion's Soldiers of the Queen from Lord Roberts—The Transvaalers Will Still, It is Thought, Continue the Fight—Butler's

Position.

London, Feb. 28.—(4:30 a.m.)—Private Stephen Groot is to Land's End there has been no fighting today. For the Queen and a universal singing of the National Anthem. This, with mutual congratulations, is the Britons' way of celebrating the most cheerful day of the war.

Lord Roberts has done more than to capture 1,000 Boers and a few guns. He has, with striking instance of one of the Boer capitals, and is master of a large district of the Free State. He has given a shock to Boer confidence, and immeasurably increased the prestige of his own troops.

In capturing Cronje, Lord Roberts has taken a leader whose presence alone was worth thousands to the Boer cause.

The best opinion here is that the Transvaalers are certain to continue the fight with undiminished valor; but it is not so certain about the Free Staters.

Butler Permits an Armistice.

Sir Redvers Buller is having a hard time in Natal. It is evident now after a fortnight's fighting that he was misled when he wired that there was only a weak rear guard between him and Ladysmith. Apparently the most of the hardest fighting of the war took place at the end of last week, as an armistice was agreed upon to allow attendance upon the wounded and burial of the dead. Both sides must have lost heavily.

ALL HONOR TO CANADIANS.

London Times and News Gives Credit for Turning the Tide.

London, Feb. 28.—After advising the continuance of the war preparations The Times concludes as follows:

But if anything could enhance the interest and widespread satisfaction of the nation at the achievements of our troops, it is the knowledge that the Canadian contingent played the principal part in the decisive movement which forced the stubborn leader to own that he was beaten.

The Daily News says:

"To the Canadian soldier, the Boers presenting the inevitable. It would be rash, however, to suppose the Boers will sue for peace, or that all our difficulties are removed."

Princess Louise to Canadians.

Ottawa, Feb. 28.—H. R. H. Princess Louise sent a cable last night to express congratulations on Cronje's surrender, effected by gallant Canadians, and deep sympathy with Canadians for their losses. Am proud to have lived among them. (Signed) Louise.

A Trial of Moral Strength.

Ottawa, Feb. 28.—A sad incident was presented yesterday when the list of the dead in the battle of Paardeberg was read.

Mr. Johnston, M.P. for West Lambton, has a son with the contingent in South Africa, and when

Private Johnston's name was read out, the father had a shock that

lived among them. (Signed) Louise.

Early chooser gets the pick.

NOTE—Collections are slow at the best. I have therefore decided to allow a discount of 10% for spot cash!

Parties desiring to have their clothes made at home can get them cut free of charge.

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Spring and summer goods are now on view, including full ranges of choice Imported and Domestic

Tweeds

Suitings and

Fancy Pantings.

All the newest shades and up-to-date designs are represented in this large assortment, and while every price is worthy your notice, still there are a few just a little nobbier than the many, and the—

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We will give—

10 per cent

Discount

OFF All Boots and Shoes in Stock

UNTIL 28th FEBRUARY.

Overshoes, regular price \$1.50 for \$1.00.

(For additional war news, see page 8.)

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Take Laxatone or Bremo Quinine Tablets. All drugs retained in the money if it falls to cure.

25c. E. W. Grove's signature on each box.

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Taking Effect Monday, June 19th, 1898.

Eastern Standard Time.

Local Trains Between Deseronto and Deseronto Junction.

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Trains stop on signal. Local Trains marked 1 run daily. All other trains run daily.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES.

H. D. STAFFORD, ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, Deseronto, Ontario.
Copies of this paper may be found on sale at the office of H. D. Siggers, 395 F Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Today's Tribune gives full particulars of the relief of Ladysmith hours before the Toronto papers reach town. Read the special despatches on first page.

Beginning March 1 the township of Sophieburg is to have an increased mail service. For quite a while the citizens have had to be content with a semi-weekly service but now the Department is going to give them a service three days each week. Last summer The Tribune agitated a daily mail for that locality and persisted until the residents themselves brought the matter before the Post-office Department in proper form. What they should have, however, is a daily mail and that mail should be distributed from Deseronto instead of running all over the country by way of Picton before it is distributed. Deseronto has daily communication with the coast line of Prince Edward county throughout the year, and is the natural distributing point from a geographical standpoint. Another thing that argues in favor of a daily mail service is the daily distribution of mail service to farmers' houses that the United States has inaugurated and carried to a successful issue. Surely if the Post-office department at Washington can find it easy to distribute mail matter in the rural communities the Canadian Department can see its way clear to a daily mail service, without distribution at the houses, in such an important and thickly settled part of the country as Prince Edward county. The residents of that county should not cease agitating for what should be a right, namely a more adequate mail service than the department now seeks to foist upon them.

The Post office Department is to be commended for the forethought displayed in regard to mail from the Canadian volunteers in South Africa. An agreement has been entered into between the Governments of Great Britain, Cape Colony and Canada whereby soldiers' letters will be delivered no matter whether the postage is prepaid in full, only partially prepaid or not at all. The revenue of Cape Colony will of course be the greater sufferer by this arrangement. The hitherto inflexible rule must be broken in full. This new regulation will enable many of the soldiers to send word home to anxious friends, often at times when circumstances might preclude the obtaining of the necessary postage. Life on a battlefield is not all roses and this concession will do much to brighten dark days for the brave men who are struggling for the Empire in South African fields.

The Kingston Whig, in speaking of the departure of the second contingent, says a short stop was made for refreshments at that station, and that there were about two people on the platform. The Whig surely does not mean to say that all the patriotic citizens of the Limestone City turned out to greet the boys.

The Montreal Star has the following pertinent article on the subject treated by our correspondent, "Imperialist" in last week's Tribune:

"The present campaign in South Africa promises to have results upon modern military methods that will be almost without precedent. One of the most important will certainly be the elevation in public estimation of the volunteer system. In the past there has been a disposition in England to regard the volunteers as affording little value, the result of which material out of which an available fighting force might with time and labor be made. The campaign has shown that with very little preparation volunteers are able to take their place in the field to shoulder with gallantry and give an exceedingly good account of themselves. The discovery is an important one for Great Britain because the next quarter of a century threatens to give the Empire a serious task for its fighting, and it is desirable that Great Britain should be in a position to defend itself without resort to conscription or the overwhelming militarism which paralyses the industrial energies of continental nations."

South Africa, however, has shown that marksmanship is more important than drill and while the volunteers can never hope to rival the regulars in drill there is no reason why they should not in drill shooting.

The campaign is for the colonies as well as for the Mother Country. If the Old Country is going to be in for a serious trouble, the Colonies are likely

to be in for it also, indeed it is most likely to be so. The colonial complications are serious. We cannot keep great standing armies in the colonies, but we can encourage our men to become good marksmen.

The campaign of the Boers shows that a comparatively small nation which knew how to use the rifle and with little other military training can in defense of its own territory keep a well-trained army at bay. Our Government should take advantage of the present military spirit to encourage fidelity to the practice of rifle shooting in Canada. The first and most obvious need is to provide rifle ranges in convenient localities throughout the country; one is badly wanted near Picton. The rifle range in the year include \$75,000 for rifle ranges the same amount as voted last year and the Government's explanations on this item will be awaited with interest."

The Relief of Ladysmith.

The men who manage the affairs of the High School and Public School have proved to be most patriotic, loyal, men of wisdom, and the endorsement of these institutions will endorse this statement.

The welcome news of the relief of Ladysmith was received yesterday morning, but owing to the stormy weather no demonstration could be made.

The schools will be closed today in honor of this great event in the history of the South African War, and no doubt the pupils will be surprised if the pupils of both schools, organize a procession this afternoon.

The report that all place of business in town will be closed this afternoon is not confirmed. From noon until close of business from the men of the church are expected. The fire alarm is requested to maintain a solemn silence.

The Worst of the Session.

Yesterday's snow of sand and sleet was the worst of the winter, and perhaps for several years. The snow began falling in small quantities on Wednesday, but by yesterday morning the combination of snow and wind had rendered the streets almost impassable to travel, to the point of being off, because the wind would whisk it back to the walk in short order. The railroads suffered heavily, all trains being hours late when it was possible to keep them moving at all. Between Deseronto and the junction of the two railroads was the roughest, but at noo a successful effort was made to run a double-header consisting of two locomotives and a passenger coach. On the Grand Trunk the big mogul engines were unable to do anything against the combined efforts of sand and wind. The mail from the west due here at 11:30 did not get in until 5:30 p.m.

In town but few people were seen on the streets and they were people who had urgent business to attend to. Some who were found were half-dead. The wind swirled around corners sweeping the walks bare and piling the snow up in formidable drifts opposite some unlucky man's door. On the west side of St. George street the walks were almost bare while across the road drifts of sand and sleet piled up. It was the same all over town.

Although a market day both buyers and sellers were noticeable by their absence. No business was done on the market all day. People from the bay and in the back country congealed in Deseronto and stayed home. The amount of business transacted during the day was infinitesimal, no person caring to venture forth, to make purchases.

Imports and Exports.

As compared with February, 1899, the month just closed shows an enormous increase in the amount of business done at the custom house. The official figures show an increase of \$17,389 in the value of goods exported; the value of articles collected was \$840 in excess of February. The goods imported free of duty showed an increase of \$616, while the value of goods on which duty was paid were worth \$2,000 more than in the corresponding month of 1899. The figures are as follows:

February, 1899.

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Exports free \$45,682.00

Imports, dutiable 1,357.00

Duties collected 1,380.81

331.49

In import business Deseronto easily outruns any of the towns and cities in the district. Perhaps some of the towns are too hasty to publish the index of business done as shown by custom house returns.

Church of the Redeemer.

The service on Sunday last was conducted by the Pastor, who preached in the morning on "What I am afraid I will trust in Thee" and in the evening on "I will trust in Thee" and not in the flesh.

Those who were in attendance at the Sunday School in the morning were delighted to see the superintendents, Mr. E. W. Bathburn, in his accustomed place once more. The address which he delivered was most appropriate. He expressed the gratification he felt on being able to return to the work he had so long given up, and the many kindly remembrances and assured his friends there that such tokens of goodwill as were shown him during his absence were highly appreciated by him.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed on the 11th inst.

The number of contributors to the Home Mission Fund on Sunday last was about twice as large as usual,

St. Mark's Church.

Services next Sunday, Matins and High Communion 11 a. m., Evensong 7 p. m.

During the Lenten season there will be daily services at 8 a. m., except on Sunday, and on Ash Wednesday, when the services will be held at 7:30 a. m.

At Evensong next Sunday the Te Deum will be sung as an act of thanks giving for the surrender of General Botha and the rest of the Afrikaners, and it is to be hoped that they will not go in for shooting.

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DESERONTO SCHOOLS.

REPORT OF ATTENDANCE FOR FEBRUARY.

Month	Days	Not in School	Absent
1. Miss Mulheron	55	41	
2. Miss Sanderson	34	20	
3. Mr. Calder	51	43	
4. Mr. Elliott	52	40	
5. Mr. Thompson	46	43	
6. Mr. Vandervoort	57	49	
7. Mr. Rowland	57	51	
8. Mr. L. H. Luck	42	36	
9. Mr. Phippen	49	45	
10. L. H. Luck	43	40	

CLASS REPORTS.

Room	Fourth Class.	Marks 651.
1. Joseph Houle	47	John Martin 475,
2. James Terrien	45	James Terrien 457,
3. Bertie Hetherington	42	Wilbur Moore 445,
4. Bertie Hetherington	42	Fred Bogart 445,
5. Bertie Hetherington	42	James Terrien 439,
6. Bertie Hetherington	42	Violet Green 439,
7. Bertie Hetherington	42	Eliza Jones 439,
8. Bertie Hetherington	42	John McPail 363,
9. Bertie Hetherington	42	Willard Sennett 359,
10. Bertie Hetherington	42	Evelyn Rixen 329.

Junior Standing.

John Carroll	Marks 521.
1. Kate Smicile	207, Ethel Irvine 281,
2. Bertie Woodall	275, Bertie Bennett 253,
3. Gardie Morden	241, Herbie Cronk 220,
4. Harold Walker	201, Clinton Black 180,
5. Mary	180, St. Louis 105, Minnie Dominy 152.

Room 10. Junior Second.

Honors—Stella Cuts	Marks 488.
1. Roy Stafford	Evelyn Whitton 323,
2. Ethel Fox	Arthur Clarke 321, James Fletcher 288, Leni Brant 236.
3. Bertie Woodall	
4. Bertie Woodall	

Senior Third.

Honors—Harry	Marks 521.
1. Harry Kirk	47, John Martin 475,
2. Bertie Woodall	45, Bertie Bennett 253,
3. Gardie Morden	42, Herbie Cronk 220,
4. Harold Walker	201, Clinton Black 180,
5. Mary	180, St. Louis 105, Minnie Dominy 152.

Room 9. Junior Third.

Marks 475.

Honors—Agnes	Marks 475.
1. Bertie Woodall	43, Flossie Staffor 235,
2. Bertie Woodall	43, Bertie Bennett 253,
3. Bertie Woodall	43, Gardie Morden 203,
4. Bertie Woodall	43, Herbie Cronk 220,
5. Bertie Woodall	43, Harold Walker

Senior Division.

Honors—Lexie Stratton	Marks 475.
1. Bertie Woodall	43, Lexie Stratton 237,
2. Bertie Woodall	43, Bertie Bennett 253,
3. Bertie Woodall	43, Gardie Morden 203,
4. Bertie Woodall	43, Herbie Cronk 220,
5. Bertie Woodall	43, Harold Walker

Junior Division.

Honors—H. Dunn	Marks 237.
1. Bertie Woodall	193, Ethel Irvine 217,
2. Bertie Woodall	193, Bertie Bennett 253,
3. Bertie Woodall	193, Gardie Morden 203,
4. Bertie Woodall	193, Herbie Cronk 220,
5. Bertie Woodall	193, Harold Walker

Room 7. Junior Second.

Marks 349.

Honors—Albert	Marks 349.
1. Bertie Woodall	229, Albert Potts 223,
2. Bertie Woodall	229, Jennifer Drice 217,
3. Bertie Woodall	229, Fred Kirk 193,
4. Bertie Woodall	229, Bertie Bennett 253,
5. Bertie Woodall	229, Gardie Morden 203,

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THE BAY OF QUINTE RAILWAY COMPANY

Eastern Standard Time.

Taking Effect Monday, June 10th, 1900.

Local Trains Between Deseronto and Deseronto Junction.											
STATIONS	Mail	Mail	Mail	Mail	Fees	Fees	Fees	Mail	Mail	Mail	Mixed
	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
Deseronto Jct.	Leave	11 40	2 25	6 55	10 10	11 00	12 10	5 35	6 20	6 00	8 15
Deseronto Jct.	Arrive	11 40	2 25	6 55	10 10	11 00	12 10	5 35	6 20	6 00	8 15
Napanee	Leave	2 10	2 45	7 10	10 05	10 40	10 50	4 45	4 45	4 45	6 00
Deseronto with G.T.R. for	East	7 15	7 30	7 45	8 05	8 15	8 30	8 45	8 45	8 45	8 45
Deseronto with G.T.R. for	West	8 15	8 30	8 45	9 05	9 15	9 30	9 45	9 45	9 45	9 45

"Trains stop on signal. Local Trains marked run daily. All other trains run daily (Sunday excepted.)

Tweed to Kingston.

STATIONS	Mail	Mail	Mixed	Local	Fees	Mail	Fees	Local	Mixed				
A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.				
No. 4	9 00	9 00	9 00	9 00	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
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1 00	9 45	9 45	9 45	9 45	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
2 00 p.m.	9 45	9 45	9 45	9 45	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
7 00	2 15	4 45	9 45	9 45	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
8 05	2 25	4 47	9 45	9 45	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
8 15	2 42	5 00	9 45	9 45	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
9 00	6 00	6 15	9 45	9 45	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
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11 05 a.m.	7 30 a.m.												
12 10 p.m.	7 30 a.m.												
1 00	7 30 a.m.												

Tweed and Tomworth to Napanee and Deseronto.

STATIONS	Mail	Mail	Mixed	Local	Fees	Mail	Fees	Local	Mixed				
A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.				
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12 30 p.m.	10 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
1 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
2 00 p.m.	10 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
3 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
4 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
5 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
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7 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
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9 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	10 00	11 50	12 28	10 35	11 21	12 35	1 01	3 45	6 21	8 40
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DESERONTO POST OFFICE.

Open daily (Sunday excepted) from 7:30 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Mails for despatch are closed at the office as follows: For Niagara and Kingston and all points east of the 45th parallel, 3 p.m.; for Quinte 4 p.m.; for Belleville, 3 p.m.; to Tived, 8 p.m.; to Belleville and Toronto and all points west at 1 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Mails arriving are due as follows: From Kingsland, Niagara and all points east of 43rd Line, and 5 p.m.; from Montreal, Prescott, and points east of Kingston at 2:30 p.m.; from Belleville, Toronto and all points west of 43rd Line, 11:45 a.m. Registered letters must be posted half an hour before the close of each mail.

N.B.—The mail is made up for all points 6 p.m. on Sundays.

BIRTHS.

APPALDE—On Wednesday, March 7, 1900, the wife of Mr. Appalde, North Fredericksburg, a son.

FIELD—At Deseronto, on Saturday, Feb. 24, 1900, the wife of Albert Field, of a daughter.

MARRIAGE.

PREMIER—WEM—At the residence of the bride's parents, Bath, on Wednesday, Feb. 28, 1900, Mr. Preston, of North Dakota, and Miss Anna Wem.

HALLMAN—DAROS—At Deseronto, on Wednesday, March 7, 1900, by Rev. W. S. McEvily, B. D., Miss Ella May Dafoe and Ralph Hallman.

BOND—BOOTH—At Cleveland, Ohio, on Wednesday, Feb. 28, 1900, Miss Gertrude Booth, of Deseronto, and George Bond, of Cleveland, Ohio.

DEATHS.

FINLAYSON—At Deseronto, on Friday, March 2nd, 1900, Mrs. Mary Ann Finlayson, aged 77 years and 4 months.

JAMESON—At her residence, Ireland, Bushmills, on Sunday, Feb. 18, 1900, Mrs. Jane Jameson, aged 70 years.

GRACE—At Deseronto, on Tuesday, March 6, 1900, Grace, daughter of Albert E. and McBethel Gracey, aged 22 years.

VANALSTINE—At Deseronto on Saturday, Feb. 24, 1900, Mrs. Catherine Vanalstine, aged 81 years.

OFARD—At Deseronto, on Thursday, March 1, 1900, Mrs. Elizabeth Ofard, aged 71 years.

Tyendinaga Council.

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For Sale.

200 ACRES IN THE 1ST CONCESSION IN THE TOWNSHIP OF TROYVILLE, ONTARIO, on the south bank of the Catholic church, Troyville, 60 acres under hay, 20 prepared for spring crop. Good house and cellar, good well and a charming spring that never freezes. Good barn and sheds, 10 acres of firewood and building lumber, 100 acres, all for \$2,000. A small payment down, balance can stand at 5 per cent.

Also 200 acres 2 miles east of the city of Belleville in the 2nd Concession in the Township of Thurlow, a private drive road through the centre, all fenced with cedar. A fine spring shaded by cedar grove, 100 head can drink at once, a large house and sheds. Stabling for 35 cows and 11 horses. Large silo, 2 wind mills, water in house and stables, also 350 Lambeth Jersey bulls, 1, 2 and 3 years old. A fine farm, cows, choice milkers with calf by American, 1784, most reasonable terms given.

J. S. McGURN,

Belleville.

They Keep Coming!

Come in and see our new goods. They are coming in almost every day and we are sure that it will be to your advantage to do your buying here.

A Few Pointers:

Lace Curtains

21 yds. long, taped all round, 25c. a pair.

Special Values at \$1.00, \$1.25, up to \$2.50.

Prints

—Light and Dark, 32 inches wide, at the old price—10 cts. a yard.

These are the best Prints for the money to be found!

Curtain Poles Complete, 25c. Each.

J. BUCHANAN, W. J. MALLEY

DRUGGIST AND STATIONER.



The Inquisitive Damsel.

A girl who took up photography not long ago and endeavored to get some valuable snap shots but had to go with her first pictures. There were times when she would go all through the whole series of pictures at a time, and couldn't imagine what was the matter. Neither could an experienced amateur who assisted in developing her first negatives and who took the usual precautions in loading the camera and taking the plate.

"I can't imagine what is the matter," she said as plate after plate came out, "I never good for nothing, with only a few of the pictures visible. Those ought to have been good plates."

"Neither can I," said the girl. "They looked all nice and smooth and white if that is the way they ought to look."

"Looked all right!" exclaimed her instructor in dismay. "You hadn't looked at them before we put them in the camera, had you?"

"Oh, not enough to hurt them," said the girl. "I just lifted up the black paper from each plate just the littlest crack in the world. I just couldn't resist the temptation of seeing how nice they looked and think of the lovely pictures I was going to have on them."

—New York Times.

Things They Did in 1700.

An advertisement in a facetious issue of a Maryland paper in 1773 shows that the housewives of that day used cooking utensils of a kind that only a favored few could afford to use now. A coppersmith "from Lancaster" living "Baltimore-Town" advertised copper and brass kettles, copper and brass brewing kettles, sauce-pans, coffee and chocolate pots, stewpans and Dutch ovens.

There was plenty of help in the household then with the slaves. Several advertisements refer to them. In one a "Commission and Insurance Broker" "Gratefully acknowledges the favors of his friends, and hopes for a continuance of their correspondence."

"He has now for sale, a Pocket of good HOPPS, a 10 inch new CABLE, and wants to buy a NEGRO GIRL, about 12 years old."

Women were in certain kinds of business at that time, for a firm of "tailors" advertise their business as two doors from Mrs. Chilton's tavern.

People liked to have little girls in their houses, and a picture of a society note follows the notice of a wedding and informs the public that "By a late marriage in St. Mary's the Lady is become Sister-in-law to her own mother and the Gentleman Son-in-law to his Sister-in-law."

—New York Times.

A Broken Shoestring.

"There goes a man who may wish before long that he had a good sound shoestring in his shoe," remarked a man to a friend as a rather slipshod individual passed them on the street. The man referred to had broken shoestring in one of his shoes, and the other had been spliced in several places.

"I am not talking from the point of view of neatness," said the first man, "but on account of his needful that befall me recently, I was about to get off a street car when the shoestring in one of my shoes snapped. It had been tightly knotted, and the break, occurring when it did, just as I had taken my hand from the rail, was enough to make me lose my balance. I fell myself falling to the street. There was a trailer on the car, and I was pretty badly scared, as I thought that I stood a good chance of getting a leg under the wheels. Luckily I made a final effort to straighten myself, and I got clear with nothing more than a painfully twisted ankle."

A shoestring is a small thing, but after that scare I determined that I should always have a good one in my shoe."

—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

The Difference.

Between a newly papered room and one which is shabby with old paper, or with discolored or disfigured walls, is just as great as

The Difference.

Between the low prices of

WALL PAPERS for this

season and the high prices

which used to be charged for

very ordinary paper.

—Pittsburg Chronicle-Telegraph.

The Dapper Cockney.

The language of the lower Londoner is caught in this:

"Getch trime?"

"Now, Trine gawn, ent it?"

Translating:

"Get your train?"

"No, Trine gone, hasn't it?"

Ent (the old ain't) seems to cover

ent, wasn't, weren't has, hasn't, have,

haven't, had, hadn't.—Notes and Queries.

A Brilliant Finish.

"I saw him kiss—just before he was leaving," said the sour aged woman, and she said it in a regular dull drawl.

"Yes, auntie."

"Well, I can realize that it would be

the last thing he would think of."

And she sallied out as though she had scored

every possible point.—Detroit Free Press.

Crescent Brand of Dress Goods

We have been appointed selling agents in Deseronto for the above line of goods, and we believe they are THE BEST MAKE OF BLACK DRESS GOODS ON THE MARKET.

We are opening this week, a large assortment of

Black and Colored Taffeta Silks, and Black and Colored Satins.

We have imported the goods direct from the manufacturers in France, and we can guarantee them to be the best value in Canada.

Our stock is now well assorted in every department, and our prices, as usual, are the lowest in the trade.

P. SLAVIN & CO.

MONEY TO LOAN

At the 4% 5% 6% 8%

Deseronto Tin Shop

will be found a FULL ASSORTMENT of

5 Per cent per Annum

upon desirable farms or town property.

Real Estate Values Have Touched Bottom.

There are Men now Looking for Farms

It is a good time to buy. To those having

incumbrances upon their property, it might be more profitable to change. I would be pleased to see any person requiring loans.

JOHN McCULLOUGH,

Appraiser for the Canada Permanent and

Western Canada Mortgage Corporation.

I have several Farms for Sale on

Favorable Terms.

Notice.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That I have an application will be made

to the Parliament of the Dominion of

Canada at its next session for an act

to extend the time for the completion

of the main line extensions and

branches of the Bay of Quinte Rail-

way Company and for other purposes.

R. C. CARTER,

General Manager.

Dated 22nd, December, 1899.

Gurney's Stoves and Ranges

Always in Stock.

JAS. K. MITCHELL.

MAIN STREET.

Tree Pruning.

Fruit, shade, or ornamental trees

pruned. Good work guaranteed and

at reasonable prices.

Orders left at Tribune office will

receive prompt attention.

JAS. K. MITCHELL.

Photos at Cost!

On account of my retirement from business in Deseronto, about March 15, and desiring to reduce stock of photo material, I will offer

First-Class Photos at Cost

—For that period.

AMOS SHOREY,

Oddfellows' Block, - Deseronto.

...EGAR'S 1900... Book and Stationery Store

Pass Books, Day Books, Ledgers,

Journals, Minute Books, Diaries,

1st Books, 2nd Books and all kinds

of School Books, Slate Pencils,

Scribblers, Ink, Erasers, Chalk and

Crayons, Pens and Pen Cases.

Note Paper in Boxes and by the Quire;

Wall Paper and All Kinds of Fancy Goods.

..EGAR'S DRUG STORE..

Everything required in Drugs and Medicines,

Patent Medicines and Pills.

We have a fine little Type Writer—fit for anyone—which we will sell for \$10. Be up-to-date and get it.

Neuralgia

is Rheumatism of the face. Uric Acid left in the blood by disordered kidneys lodges along the nerve which branches from the eye over the forehead, and across the cheek to the side of the nose. The cause is the same as in all Rheumatism—disordered Kidneys. The cure is likewise the same—

Dodd's Kidney Pills

A Syrian woman named Manzie Abo Lameh, aged 20 years, is in jail at London, Ont., charged with killing her infant in Biddulph Township a year ago.

The Strength of Twenty Men.
When Shakespeare employed this phrase he referred, of course, to healthy, able-bodied men. If he had lived in these days he would have known that men and women who ate not well have the strength of only two or three sparrows. This medicine, by making the blood rich and pure and giving good appetite and perfect digestion, imparts vitality and strength to the system.

The non-irritating cathartic—Hood's Pills.

Edward F. B. Roakes was caught in the shunting at Conger's wood yard, Toronto, on Tuesday and instantly killed. He leaves a family of five children.

Catarrhозо Fools the Doctors.

I. Reynolds, of 39 Queen St., Ottawa, who has been suffering from Catarrhозо with drooping in the throat, etc., for some time. My doctor said an operation would be necessary, but the use of one bottle of Catarrhозо—zone of the new series—has guaranteed a cure. Catarrhозо, Asthma and Bronchitis. Sold everywhere. Trim outfit sent to any address for 10c in stamps by N. C. PÖLSON & CO., Kingston, Ont., proprietors.

Fred. G. Syracs of Detroit, surrendered himself to the police at London, Ont. He is wanted in Detroit on charges of fraud and bigamy.

Unappreciated.

The teacher of a district school in Maine tells a story that reminds me of Mary and her little lamb, only it is of Joe and his little dog. Joe was a boy about 8 years old and was devoted to a small, lauk puppy. Out of school hours boy and dog were inseparable, and Joe apparently could not reconcile himself to the necessity of leaving the dog at home. For several evenings the teacher allowed the puppy to remain at Joe's feet under the desk.

Then there came a day when the small dog could not be kept quiet, but tripped about, to the delight of the school and the dismay of the teacher.

"Joe," she said firmly, "you must take that dog out."

Joe looked at her mournfully, but picked up the pup and, with his head against his cheek, started for the door. The boy's feelings were evidently hurt, but he said nothing until he reached the door; then, giving his teacher a reproachful look, with a pitying glance toward his dog, he said slowly, "And he's named for you!"—Youth's Companion.

Not His Destination.

A steamer was stopped in the mouth of the river owing to a dense fog. An old lady inquired of the captain the cause of the delay.

"Can't see up the river," replied the captain.

"But I can see the stars overhead," continued the old lady.

"Yes; but until the boilers bust we ain't going that way!"—Youth's Companion.

A Friend's Advice.

When you find your kidneys out of order, when your back aches and pains and gives you endless misery, when you have to sit up all night and endure torture during the day—take a friend's advice. Get a box of

DOAN'S KIDNEY PILLS.
There are lots of people in your town, who have been cured by this remedy.

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From nearly every city and town in the Dominion you get reports similar to the above. People who have had them say they have had a good word for Doan's Kidney Pills.

THE CRY OF CAROLITA.

I stand in the dark; I beat on the door: Let me in, Death. Through the storm am I come; I find you before him that is sweet, and for him that is surely dead. I beat on the door, and I call: You quenched it and left me this dark and the word:

Let me in, Death.

that was rich to you for alms:

Let me in, Death.

that was full up thy striped palms:

Let me in, Death.

Back to me now, and let me that I had:

Cast into mine arms my little sweet lad:

Let me in, Death.

Are you grown so deaf that you cannot hear:

Let me in, Death.

Unless the dire eye and the dull ear;

Let me in, Death.

I will call so loud, I will cry so sore,

You must for shame's sake come open the door:

Let me in, Death.

—Little Woodworth Beebe in Lippincott.

A DOCTOR'S STORY

He Granted His Ladylove's Request. Then She Threw Him Over.

BY FRANCES SCHNEIDER.

"Not married yet nor going to be?"

"No."

"Why, Frank, I thought surely by this time—"

The doctor moved uneasily in his chair and turned so that the electric light over his desk did not show full on his face. As for me, I paused a moment, feeling that he had hedged on painlessly delicate ground.

"You will say truly that it was at my suggestion you hastened my mother's death, but I was mad—mad with grief at the time."

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Looking at his face, I saw his head well above his shoulders, I approached him with outstretched hands.

"At last, Carolita!" I said, but she drew back with a shudder.

"I'm not married yet," she said, "to set right any lingering impression you might have that there could be anything more between us. This is the last time we shall meet."

"What do you mean, Carolita?" I

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"I've turned things over and over in my mind till my brain aches, and I cannot exonerate you from guilt."

"Guilty! Oh, come, Carolita! It is most unjust—most cruel! I cried loudly."

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

BATH.

The Bath stage has not been able to run to Kingston for the past two weeks on account of the severe snow-storm.

Mrs. Charlie Johnson has returned home after spending a week with her parents at Big Creek.

Miss Mattie Howard was the guest of

Miss Mattie Wartman last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Smith, of Parrot's Bay, spent last Monday with her parents.

Henry Wemp, who has kept a grocery this winter, is selling out his stock. He intends going on the steamer Hero this summer.

Mr. Chatman is moving this week to his new home at Parrot's Bay.

Mr. Forreston attended a number of the local fairs this Friday evening.

Drifts in ice have their ice-houses filled for next summer's use.

Mr. Kinnear and family have moved to Yarker, where they have secured a small farm.

Ethel Covert entertained a "few of her friends" last Saturday evening. During the evening the hanging lamp took a fall and had not been, for the prompt assistance of James Chatman, who was present, it might have been a serious fire.

Marriageable ladies out in Dakota must be scarce, for there are two young men here now looking for helpmates.

Mr. Prentier, of North Dakota, and Miss Eva Wemp were married on Wednesday evening. We wish them every success in their new home.

NAPANEE MILLS.

The terrible storm of Thursday last blocked the roads throughout this section. They are barely passable at this writing. Many elderly people declare they remember no such storm.

Robert Pybus sustained a compound fracture in the leg while walking through his farm with a pair of grain in his hand, he slipped and fell with the above result. This is a sad misfortune for Mr. Pybus, as he will likely be laid up until after spring work.

Nelson Shannon came very near losing his building by fire. Mr. Shannon built it and walked across to J. Hawley's just across the road. The other members of the family were absent. After a short time Mr. Hawley, looking out, saw the fire in the chamber window. By prompt work they succeeded in subduing the fire.

Miss Thompson is seriously ill at her brother-in-law's, T. Norris. She is suffering from pneumonia.

George Grant's little girl has come safely through a critical operation in Kingston hospital.

George Cook is still very feeble. He does not improve or seem to gain strength.

While playing hockey Monday evening, Elmer Pybus, had some 15 years of age, son of John Pybus, had his collarbone broken.

On Saturday evening Newburgh hockey club played a friendly game with the team here, Napanee Mills defeating them 5 to 3.

M. Shannon purchased a span of horses from Tom Norris, to take to Minden.

Mr. McQuage has moved to Selby village.

Thomas Wells, Newburgh road, has sold his large team to a Toronto buyer.

The severe winter weather is causing people to hold their foddier at a higher price than formerly.

GREENPOINT.

March has come in this time in grand old style. Talk about snow! Why, we have heaps of it to throw away.

Franklin spent Saturday and Sunday at the community. He entertained a number of friends and relatives with his photograph, and started for home on Monday to Oswego.

Miss Bessie Rohlin spent a couple of weeks visiting friends and relatives at Fish Lake.

Franklin purchased a quantity of straw from J. E. Garrison.

Miss Mildred Rose spent a few days visiting relatives in Picton.

Everyone seems well pleased with the success of the British in South Africa.

H. Houghs, of the Plinton mail line, lost his bearings during the blizzard on Thursday and reached up to Lake

cove on Gross Point, but after maneuvering a few hours managed to get on the right track again.

John Gordon, of Plinton, passed through here last week buying young cattle for an American firm.

S. E. Garrison spent Monday in town.

Mr. Donike is building a steamboat dock for shipping produce.

John R. and Hyram Ketchemaw and their families were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Roblin on Sunday.

Miss Brown was the guest of Miss Mabel Carnahan on Saturday and Sunday.

A few of our young people attended the tea meeting at Bethesda last week and the results were excellent.

Owing to the bad condition of the roads we fear some of our young men were unable to make their desired appointments on Sunday.

Alonzo Rattan has been canvassing this neighborhood in the interest of the Chase nursery firm. He is also selling fruit sprayers.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Van Dusen and Mrs. W. D. Dixie were the guests of the Commodore on Tuesday night, and were regaled with an oyster supper.

CANNINGTON.

(Received too late for last week)

Mr. Naylor, who has been on the sick list for the past three weeks, is now on the mend.

Miss Paul Moorman is not any better. Grave fears are entertained of her recovery.

John Pelkey and son Fred are both confined to the house with colds.

The C. H. C. concert was well attended and everything passed off very pleasantly and to the satisfaction of the managing committee. Proceeds amounted to over \$300.

Miss Lizzie McKeynt, of Galtleville, and her daughter Ruby, of Thurlow, were visiting at C. H. C. Galler's and took in the concert.

The Cannington Circuit purposes building a new parsonage this spring as a Twentieth Century offering. This is a worthy cause, and the donations should be liberal.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Sayers, of Tweed, were visiting at Mrs. Galler's last week.

MARYSVILLE.

Miss May Anderson is visiting friends in Belleville.

Harry Godfrey left for Toronto on Monday last, where he intends remaining for a few weeks.

Peter Casey, Tweed, is the guest of his uncle, Chas. Scanlon, this week.

J. Logue, Belleville, spent Wednesday in the village.

Miss Libbie Exley, is spending a few weeks with friends in Shannonville.

Did you get the joker? "Beware boys."

Jas. Murphy, a former resident of this place, now residing in Dakota, has been renewing acquaintances during the past week.

The estate of the late Alexander Pybus will be offered for sale at public auction on Tuesday, March 20. Stock and farming implements (which may be seen on the bill of the said property) will be sold at a reduced rate that day.

MELROSE.

G. Wright and wife, of Tweed, were the guests of James Collins on Tuesday.

The pathmusters are kept busy keeping the roads open since the big storm.

W. T. Fleming was in Belleville on Monday.

James Ray is still on the sick list.

There is talk of holding a concert in the near future for the benefit of the soldiers.

ERINSVILLE.

The roads are in excellent condition, owing to the recent snow storm.

We are pleased to say Father Cleator, who has been seriously ill, is able to be around again.

Miss Janie Ingoldby, of Centreville, spent a few days last week with Emma McMullen.

Miss G. Byrnes spent Sunday at J. Garrett's.

Miss Maggie Murphy has returned from a vacation.

Barbara and R. Shier gave on Friday a flying visit on Wednesday.

Peter Hogan has returned home after an extended visit in Deseronto and Marysville.

Mrs. Neddie and Bernadette Mu

phy spent Sunday and Monday at their home.

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"The Mill Cannot Grind with Water That's Past."

This is what a fagged out, tearful little woman said in telling her cares and weaknesses. Her friend encouraged by telling of a relative who had just such troubles and was cured by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

The little woman now has tears of joy, for she took Hood's, which put her blood in prime order, and she lives on the strength and power instead of weakness about the past.

Hood's. — "When I need a blood purifier I take Hood's Sarsaparilla. It cured my humor and it is excellent as a tonic. Just across the border in the U. S. A.

Erysipelas Sores. — "After several fever running sore was left on my nose. It cured me. My brother was also cured by taking Hood's Sarsaparilla in his face." — Ella Corson, Burden, N. B.

Hood's Sarsaparilla
Never Disappoints.

Hood's Pills cure liver ill; the non-irritating and only cathartic to take with Hood's Sarsaparilla.

SHANNONVILLE.

Mrs. E. Brooks, of Northport, was visiting friends in our village this week.

Miss Fairman, of Corbyville, is the guest of Miss E. Emmons.

Mr. A. McDonald is very ill. His friends are hoping for her ultimate recovery.

T. Greatrix is seriously ill at home near this village.

A social will be held in Spencer's Church on Wednesday evening next.

Funny Men.

The jests of Hologabulus were very practical. He was fond of inventing people with some physical deformity to dinner and making jokes about them. At times he would invite a dozen hunchbacks or a score of equinating ladies or an equal number of baldheads.

Once he put a large number of extremely poor people very hungry, into a small chamber where dinner was waiting. There was no room to eat it. Another diversion of which he was fond was that of pinching his guests on his sofa, so that when they were about to drink he could let the air out and have both sofa and guest collapse.

It is said that Nero, the Roman emperor, liked to "shy" nuts at the bald heads of the priests who sat below during the performance at the theater, and they were expected to maintain their halibutlike dignity and refrain from "shying" them back at him.

Heaven Twice Found.

Now she suffers him to print a kiss upon her brow.

"Wells is heaven!" he says.

Two people now. His baby has just ceased crying.

"This is heaven," he says.

Here we see how a man's ideals change with the lapse of time. —Detroit Journal.

Too Much Time Wanted.

"If you will get my new suit done by Saturday," said a customer to a tailor, "I'll be forever indebted to you."

"If that's your game," replied the tailor, "the clothes will not be done at all."

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Ask Your Doctor!

Ask your physician this question, "What is the one great remedy for consumption?"

He will answer, "Cod-liver oil."

Nine out of ten will answer the same way.

Yet when persons have consumption they loathe all fatty foods, yet fat is necessary for their recovery and they cannot take plain cod-liver oil. The plain oil disturbs the stomach and takes away the appetite. The disagreeable fishy odor and taste make it almost unbearable. What is to be done?

This question was answered when we first made

SCOTT'S

EMULSION

of Cod-Liver Oil with Hypophosphites. Although that was nearly twenty-five years ago, yet it stands alone to-day the one great remedy for all affections of the throat and lungs.

The bad taste and odor have been taken away, the oil itself has been partly digested, and the most sensitive stomach objects to it rarely. Not one in ten can take and digest the plain oil. Nine out of ten can take SCOTT'S EMULSION and digest it. That's why it cures so many cases of early consumption. Even in advanced cases it brings comfort and greatly prolongs life.

SCOTT'S EMULSION is the greatest medicine ever invented for consumption.

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AN OLD MAN'S DARLING.

BY MRS. ALEX. McV. MILLER

Author of "The Senator's Bride," "Brunette and Blonde," "A Dreadful Temptation," Etc.

CHAPTER I.

The blue, the fresh, the ever-free."

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chanted the free and delicious voices of a young girl walking along the sandbank in the sunshiny summer at Cape May.

"Cross my palm with silver, and I'll tell you fortune, bonnie maid," said a cracked, discordant voice.

"I singed your shrubby hair and hoisted at the owner of the voice, a beauteous old hag, who exchanged her withered hand impudently.

"Nay, now, good soul," answered she, with a merry laugh, "fortune will come to me anyway, even if I keep my silver please."

"Aye, aye, it will," said the old crone, casting her head like a bird of evil omen, "it comes to faces as bonny as your own. But it's I that can tell you whether it is good or ill fortune."

"Here, then," said the girl, still laughing, putting a silver piece into the crone's old hand; "the cheerful, now, and tell me a brave fortune for my money."

The old sibyl did not appear to relish the light and jester-like tone of the other; and stood for a moment gazing at her in grave and portentous silence.

When a servant the two suggested as the girl stood looking at each other.

The girl was beautiful, with all the delicate freshness and slimness of eighteen.

She was a dazzling blonde, with sea-blue eyes, and hair like spun gold,

falling beneath her jaunty sailor's hat. She had long, loose curls to her graceful waist.

She was a picture of a girl fresh like the heart of a sunbeam, with a flush like the rose-pink of her cheeks.

Her nose was fair and broad, and fringed with soft, childlike rings of sunny hair. Her nose was small and straight; her mouth was curved like Cupid's bow, its short, exquisite upper lip touching a touch of ardor to the passionateness of her features.

The girl's delicately shaped hands and feet were in keeping with the rare beauty of her face and form. She was simply clad in a jaunty sailor costume of dark blue serg: trimmed with white braid and pearl buttons, and carried a volume of poems in her gloved hand.

As contrasted with this peerless beauty and youthful grace the old sibyl appeared hideous as a fendi beside an

She was diminutive in stature, and bent nearly double with the weight of years.

Her scantly streaming white hair was in odd contrast with the dark parchment-like skin and jet-black eyes that sparkled with a keen and unnatural boldness.

A wicked, malevolent expression was the prevailing cast of her wrinkled features, and her cheeks and lips having fallen in upon her thin, bony gums, converted her grim smile into a most Satanic grin.

The dreadful old hag was attired in a melange of ancient and faded finery, consisting of a frayed and dirty quilted satin petticoat and an overdress of rich brocade, whose crimson and oriental hues were almost obliterated by time and ill-use.

She gathered the faded robes about her with a certain air of pride as she said to the young girl:

"Sit ye down upon the stone there, and let me look at your palm."

She was obeyed with a demure smile by the listener, who drew off her glove and presented the loveliest hand in the world for inspection—her white hand, small and dimpled, and tapering, with rosy palm and tips—a perfect hand that might have been enclosed in a glass case and looked at only as a "thing of

beauty."

The sibyl took that dainty bit of flesh and blood into her brown, wrinkled claws and scanned it intently.

"You are well-born," she said, slowly, "You are well-born, and much by the shape of my nose, I suppose," laughed the girl, mischievously.

The old hag glanced at the elegant, aristocratic little member in question and frowned.

"I can tell by your hand," said she, "sooth! Not but that it is written on your features also—for you are very beautiful."

"Others have told me so before," said the girl, with her musical, light-hearted laugh.

"Pee, will-o'-the-wisp!" said the old woman sternly. "Do not pride yourself upon fat fatal! You are lovely as an angel, but your beauty will be your bane."

"But beauty wins bane," said the listener, "needy, while a rose, brown, wrinkled claws and scanned it intently.

"Aye, aye! I wine low," was the crusty answer. "Your life will have ended, if you be, be sure. But beauty wins bane, the love that is harbored by your own fair face will inspire. Do nothing that will be happy because you are beautiful. Years of wretchedness lie before you!"

"Oh! no!" said the girl, with an involuntary shiver.

"It is true," said the sibyl, peering into the hand that held her heel. "If you could read this little pink palm as I do, you would see the horror of it. Sorrow and ill's crossed with your future."

"Not shan't," said old woman sternly. "Do you if you like to alter the decree of fate with little words, proud girl? No, no; no little words, proud girl! You will be a stain on the whitewash of life that your tears can never wipe out. Love and hate will brand it out. And by whom, may I ask?"

"Oh, by a horrid old crone who stay-

ped into my path on my way here and demanded a place of shade and shelter to foretell my future."

"Of course I do not see in such a hand as yours that of an old hag, but I humored the poor old soul just for fun, you know, and a dreadful prediction she gave me for my future."

"She gave me her hour," said Leslie Dame, smiling.

Bonnibel recounted the words and gestures of the old sibyl with patient exactness and infinite mimicry to her interested audience.

"It was old Mother, no doubt," said he, when she had finished. "I have seen her several times on the shore and I made quite an accurate picture of her once, though I dare say the old witch would not have known me if she knew it. The greater her horridness, the more elegantly dressed and wore a costly diamond ring on his little finger.

As the young man drew near, the stately millionaire arose and acknowledged his respectful greeting with a smile.

"Ah! Dame, good-evening. Have a seat and join me in a cigar."

"Thank you. I do not smoke," answered the young artist politely. "But I am sorry to interrupt your enjoyment of the evening."

"It does not matter," said the millionaire, tossing his own cigar away and resuming his seat. "Sit down, Dame. Well, how do you get on with your pictures?"

The dusky, handsome face lighted up with a smile.

"I am very anxious to get a picture of you, little one," said Leslie Dame, her features beaming with pleasure.

"Do, I shall sail for Rome very soon now and study there a year or two," said Leslie, his features beaming with pleasure. "I believe I shall succeed in my ambition. I feel within myself the promptings of genius, and I know that my persistent labor will continue to form me."

The elder man regarded him with some surprise. He had never seen him so enthusiastic on any subject before, even that of his beloved art.

"You seem very sanguine and determined," he observed with a smile.

"I am determined," answered Leslie, "to make you a picture that will be a masterpiece."

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Mails arriving are due as follows: From Kingston, Napanee and all points east at 4:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; for Cobourg, Peterborough, and all points west at 2:30 p.m.; for Bay of Quinte R.R. and all points to Tweed 8 p.m.; for Belleville and all points west at 4 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Registered letters must be posted half an hour before the close of each mail.

N.B.—The mail is made up for all at postal office on Sundays.

BIRTHS.

BESS.—At Deseronto on March 7, 1900, the wife of Muney Beno, of a daughter.

REDONDO.—At Deseronto, on March 1, 1900, the wife of W.J. Redin, of a daughter.

JESSE.—At Deseronto, on Feb. 28, 1900, the wife of John E. Joyce, of a son.

LINDSAY.—At Deseronto, on Friday, March 9, 1900, the wife of Reuben Lindsay, of a son.

LUCAS.—At Deseronto, on Tuesday, March 13, 1900, the wife of Miles Lucas, of a son.

MARRIAGE.

PINNEY OLIVER.—At the residence of the bride's parents, Gravel Road, Miss. Minnie Oliver and William Pinney of Empire Hill, Rev. Mr. Limbert, officiating.

ANDERSON.—BROOKS.—At the residence of the bride's mother, by the Rev. J. L. Brown, Miss Bertha J. Brooks of Fish Lake, to George Anderson, of Green Point.

A Farmer's Garden.

No farm is complete without a well filled fruit and vegetable garden to give a continuous supply of fruit and vegetables for the farmer's own table. That will be the secret to success, and more than that, the farmer should be given the simple reason that they can be picked fresh and are the result of the farmer's own labor. A farm garden should be located on a sunny spot, well-drained, well-tilled, well-working, heart shape, longer than wide, and if the seeds and plants are planted in perfectly straight lines and the rows are enough apart so they can easily be worked. The soil for the garden will be greatly lessened. Peas, onions, parsnips, radish and lettuce should be sown as soon as the ground can be worked in the spring. The more tender vegetables should be sown to do better if not planted until the weather is settled and warm, when the growth will be rapid and strong enough to stand against the early spring insects.

The following varieties will be found suitable for family use: Peas—American Wonder and Premium Gem; dwarf varieties fine; quality Carlist, Radish—French Breakfast; Summer, Short Top, Long Scarlet.

Onions—White, Red, Purple, Yellow, Hollow, Caramel, Ox Heart, Turnips—Early, Milan, Imperial Swede, Lettuce—Hanson, Cucumber—White, Spine, Borts—Edmund's Blood, Turnips—Candy, Early, Cored, Small, Yellow, Celeri—Golden Self-blanching, Cabbage—Winingstadt, Cauliflower—Erfurt, Tomatoes—Imperial Pink, Igouton Red, Onions—Red Weathered, Yellow.

The fruit garden, to be complete, should consist of strawberries, raspberries, gooseberries, currants, grapes, cherries, plums, pears and apples. The strawberries should be planted 18x20 feet; raspberries, 2x30 at the least; Wilson or Williams Boys. By Sexual or Perfect-flowering strawberries will be the best plants, but if Cultivator Waspfield or any of the *Pistillata* varieties are planted every third plant should be by a Sex-plant or the results will be poor. Fay's Prolific is probably the best red currant, being of the largest size and an abundant bearer, and grand for the gooseberry bush. Nuplums are the best black currants. Industry, the best of the largest gooseberry, Downing the best native sort. Cuthlith, Schaffner's Colosse and Erie are undoubtedly the best gooseberries. 100 grapes plants—100 feet—Diamond, yellowish white, very early; 1 Moon, Early Black pens with Diamond; 2 Brighton Bronze Red, the best table grape of its color, 2 Concord Black, 2 Niagara, a grand white, 1 Delaware, an old favorite, red, small berry, but fine flavor; 1 Lodi, small berry, but fine flavor; 1 Japane, 1 Lombard purple red, 1 Slipper Prude blue, 1 Yellow Egg, 2 Cherries—Early Richmond, 2 English Morello Pears, 1 Clapp's Favorite, 1 Seckel, 2 Kieffer Hybrid, 2 Bartlett, 2 D'Anjou, 2 Windfall Pears, 1 Apple, 1 Yellow Transparent, 1 Red Delicious, 1 Duchess, 2 Alexander, 2 Ontario, 2 Rhode Island Greening, 1 Fanmense. All the above are good varieties covering the whole fruit season.

JAMES K. MITCHELL,
IN THE IMPERIAL HOUSE.

Lord Salisbury's Reply to the House Elected Prolonged Cheers.

The telegrams from Presidents Kruger and Steyn to the Marquis of Salisbury were read in both Houses of Parliament yesterday, and the concluding paragraph of the British Premier's reply, saying His Majesty's Government was not prepared to assent to the independence either of the South African Republic or the Orange Free State, elicited prolonged cheers.

Mr. Labouchere Protested.

Mr. Henry Labouchere, Advanced Liberal, protested against Lord Salisbury's reply to the Presidents Kruger and Steyn. It was, he said, not only a crime, but a blunder. The terms of peace which were proposed were an insult to the intelligence of Great Britain. Turkey, he declared, might as well have insisted upon blotting out Greece as an independent country. Greece insulted Turkey and compelled her to go to war.

The Telegram in full.

Mr. Thomas Gibson Bowles, Conservative, remarked that the last telegram from Presidents Kruger and Steyn was even more insulting than the one which began the war.

War Loss's Second Reading.

The War Loss Bill passed the second reading in the House of Commons yesterday by a vote of 208 to 21. The Chancellor of the Exchequer,

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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

BATH.

Miss Hattie Chambers has returned home after spending a month with her parents at Big Creek.

Charlie Johnson had the misfortune to have his shoulder put out of joint last Monday.

The Methodists held their pie social last Tuesday evening in the town hall. The programme consisted of music and recitations which were given by the Violet choir, Mr. Rockwell, of Napanee, and Mr. Harper of this place. Proceeds amounting to \$13.60.

Mr. Mott left here on Wednesday for Toronto where he is intending to spend a few days.

Miss Little Collins, of Napanee, spent Saturday and Sunday with her parents.

Angus Lloyd, of Big Creek, is here visiting his son, Miss Laird.

Mr. Edwards has sold his residence to a company of Americans, and he has purchased three other dwellings which he intends to repair and have them for summer boarding houses.

Henry Wemp intends having a sale of household goods on Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Jack Cain and his father have dissolved partnership and he has gone to Wolfe Island where he will open up a general shoe store.

KINGSTON.

A. McCullough and J. Frizzell have returned from their trip to Waterdown, where they drove for two hours of furniture.

Mr. and Mrs. McAllister spent Sunday at Shauanough.

Mr. and Mrs. B. McCabe, of Yarker, are spending a few days here.

T. H. Dafe is spending a week in Deseronto visiting his uncle, R. Brown.

Mrs. James Hewitt is at her parents.

Mrs. James McHenry met with a serious fall. Dr. Newton attending her.

D. Bradshaw has something to contend with. Tis a fish bone in his throat.

M. J. McCullough is moving his family from Ballyville here on the first. He has a good colt last week.

We are glad to note the roads are getting some what better. Some men looked sad as the roads were so blocked they could not get through. They were seen yesterday going south and west, but did not return till late.

W. Swayne and McKnight are doing a rushing business lately sawing and grinding.

Rumor says another wedding soon.

I think I could guess who.

EMPEY HILL.

A. Penney has returned home after spending the winter at Cline.

W. Gibson is again in our midst, having returned after a two months stay at Read.

P. Pearson, of Deseronto, spent Sunday at Melbourne's.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Kimmerly, Frank and Maggie Smith spent Sunday with J. Barnes.

A few friends spent an enjoyable evening with J. M. Sexsmith on Thursday of last week.

Many farms in this section are being sold. Byron Demarest has sold to L. Clarke. Mr. Demarest will shortly move to Ontario. A. McCullough, of Watertown, is moving here on his farm. J. Toppings has moved to his farm at Marysville. L. Clarke is moving on his farm.

W. Staffor will soon take up his abode at the Shibly farm.

Will Penny and Minnie Oliver were married on Wednesday evening, March 7.

Mrs. Joe McHenry met with a very painful accident on Saturday. She was up in a snow gathering eggs and slipped in a hole to the floor, some feet below. Her clothes were broken but she was badly shaken up. Dr. Newton is in attendance.

Moses, Joyce and Corrigan are again visiting the township.

Moses, Rainey and Whitney bought 150 head of yearling cattle in Ohio and are sending them west. J. Lowry is also shipping.

One of our popular young men will probably get a license as auctioneer when the sale was over he sold by auction buttertums and bristlecone.

There is a lemon grove of 1,000 acres in San Diego, Southern Cal., and it is said to be the largest in the world. It was begun in 1890, when 170 acres were planted, and it has annually added to, until it has reached its present size.

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WASHINGTON NOTES

Lord Pauncefote to be Retained as British Ambassador.

United States Capital Being Used to Develop Canadian Railways.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

Washington, D. C., March 9.

Lord Pauncefote is to be retained as ambassador here for some time yet, after all.

The aged diplomat is already two years past the retiring age and his term of office has twice been extended, and it was supposed that he would now make way for a successor. But a telegram from Lord Salisbury, received a day or two ago, informed him that his term would be again extended.

No specific reason was given, but it was inferred that the Boer war,

the Hay-Pageot treaty, and the questions of the Canadian boundary and the boundaries with all of which Lord Pauncefote is thoroughly familiar, were the controlling causes. It was thought at first that perhaps the United States might have suggested that it would be glad to have Lord Pauncefote retained, but it is now more marked, coming without outside suggestion. Such repeated extension has only one precedent in the entire history of the British diplomatic service. The ambassador had made arrangements to return to England and serve again in the Foreign Office in 28 days instant, remaining in the United States a fortnight longer himself in order to close up his business affairs. The notification received has, of course, made a change of plans necessary.

He has been recalled to command the United States with the rank of ambassador during the spring months at least, and it will be some date in June before they leave. No definite extension has been granted, but it is understood that Lord Pauncefote will remain for at least a year.

The choppers in H. Oliver's wood captured two fine coons on Monday morning.

John Toppings has moved on the farm lately vacated by John McCallum.

Hiram Alex has moved to the residence of Alex Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. James Moore, of Hay Bay, spent Monday at her father's, A. Arbutur.

H. R. Bedford is suffering from a fractured limb.

Wedding bells have been ringing during the past week, with more to follow soon.

GRAVEL ROAD.

The roads have once more become passable after the heavy storm.

McCallum is busy removing a barn from Franklin.

James Whitten spent Sunday and Monday in Tamworth.

A large load from Maryville invaded the dwelling of John McGuiness on Sunday night.

Miss Jenkins, of Albert, is visiting her sister, Mrs. David Brown.

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SHANNONVILLE.

Miss Cora Christie, of Picton, is the guest of her cousin, Grace Morden.

Miss S. Wildman, of Northport, was visiting Miss Creeper this week.

Narcis Doney and Frank Christie, of Picton, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Moore on Sunday last.

Miss Moore of Phainfield, is the guest of her brother, Dr. Moore.

Miss Annie Winter was visiting in Belleville this week.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Sprague are visiting their friends in Prince Edward.

Rev. G. E. Rose will deliver an address on the war on Friday evening next. A good programme is being prepared, consisting of songs and recitations. The proceeds of the collection will be for the Patriotic Fund.

W. Rhine is seriously ill at his home in this village.

Mrs. A. McDonald is still very ill and but slight hopes are entertained of her recovery.

GREEN POINT.

A number of young men from Picton

passed through here on Monday en-

route for Halifax to fill the places

which were made vacant by those who

have gone to South Africa.

John Loyd and J. Bontes Robin

spent Monday on Monday to

spend their fortune in the West.

The condition of the roads and ice is

all that could be desired. Farmers are

enabled to draw hay, wood and other

produce to market.

S. E. and Miss Mabel Carman

attended church at Greta on Sunday

evening.

On Thursday night last, General

and Mrs. Miles entertained at dinner

in honor of Lord and Lady Pauncefote.

They and their daughters received

heavy congratulations from their

large circle of friends in Washington

and elsewhere.

United States capital is said to be

pouring into Canada.

"It's only a

question of time until Americans own

Canada," said H. B. Lewis, of St.

Stephens, who is in this city.

"I was at Cape Breton not long ago, and

found the roads in a state of

chaos.

The capital is being furnished by

the Whitney syndicate in New York.

It is a tremendous thing. Coal are to

be found in abundance in easy distance,

and the outlook is

very promising.

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NO. 26.

IN HONOR OF ST. PATRICK

The Sons of Erin Celebrate the Day in Right Royal Manner.

The Banquet at the Deseronto House One Which Will Be Remembered.

A Long List of Toasts Responded To By Eloquent And Representative Irishmen.

St. Patrick's Day, 1900, will long be remembered in Deseronto, as well as in all parts of the British Empire, as the beginning of a new era in the history of the Irish people. On that day, by the wish of Her Most Gracious Majesty the Queen, the Irish flag was hung out, as was also the shamrock, so dear to the heart of every Irishman. On that day the Irish Soldiers of the Queen were privileged to wear the national emblem, and The Widow of Windsor will never need to regret this gracious act, for she has no braver nor more loyal soldiers, and they are daily proving this by the heroic manner in which they are fighting and dying for her on the battle-fields of South Africa.

Deseronto was not behindhand in acknowledging that honor was due to the brave Irish Soldiers, and the Town Council decided that the 17th of March should be observed as a day of general rejoicing, and that the citizens be requested to display flags and bunting, giving preference to the Irish national colors. His Worship Acting-Mayor Dryden, in accordance therewith, issued a proclamation to that effect. As the result of this proclamation the Irish flag, emblazoned with the harp, the crown, and the shamrock leaf, flew from the flag-staff of the band stand. Irish and British flags adorned nearly every building in the business portion of the town, and many of the residences were gaily decorated. The wearing of the green was the order of the day, and the Irishmen were in good spirits; not only were they worn by Irishmen, but it seemed as if every man in town had a bit of the "color" in his buttonhole.

The grandest feature of the day, however, occurred at night, and that was the grand ball at the Deseronto House. The fact that Irishmen of all creeds, political parties and factions had amicably sunk their differences of opinion and united to celebrate the great Irish Day, by sitting down together at a banquet with their invited guests, only made it a unique and grand feature.

The spirit that pervades this union speaks well for the lasting qualities of it, and is aptly described in the sentiment which appeared on the invitation cards:

What matter that at different shrines we place our hats? What matter that at different times our fathers with us have been bound by stronger links than steel. And though we're not sound but in the other's weak.

At the appointed time the Irishmen of Deseronto, and their guests, to the number of about seventy, took their seats at the tables laid out in the Deseronto House, which had been suitably decorated for the occasion. The tables were tastefully set and graced under the weight of the abundance of good things provided by Miss Host Hatch and his staff of willing assistants. A simple justice was done to the following menu,

oysters.

Milk Stein Plain Raw Boiled

Sugar Cured Ham Ox Tongue

Beef Lamb Pork Heart

Chicken and Dressing

ENTREES

Irish Stew

Pickles

Salads

Lobster Chicken Lettuce

CAKE

Lemon Jelly Cococnut Chocolate

Orange and Walnut

JELLY

Rum Wine Vanilla Lemon

Apples Cheese

Black Tea Green Tea Coffee

Professor Denmark's orchestra in grand style.

The evening of the inner man having been satisfied, the Chairman W. J. Malleys, said that as the evening was advancing, and there was quite a number of speakers to hear from, he would proceed to state the object of the meeting, and to find that this opportunity to meet the Irishmen of Deseronto and to find that this great change of feeling had taken place. He said, "I feel sure that a new era has opened for the Irish people, and on

children should be proud of belonging to the great Irish race."

H. Biscoe made a short address, in which he referred to the Irish and being courageous for their zeal and love of liberty. He said that St. Patrick's Day with united Ireland was a day to be long remembered and was not to be passed up once a year. At the conclusion of his remarks he sang Tom Moore's song "The Shamrock," without accompaniment.

E. J. Edwards, the vice-chairman upon being called upon, was asked to speak, but would say he was glad to see such a representative gathering of Irishmen in Deseronto, the first organized meeting of all classes of Irish people. He had, for a number of years, taken an active interest in the annual observance of the 17th of March, but had always spent it elsewhere, because there never had been a celebration in Deseronto. He hoped that the good feeling and spirit of unity which had begun so recently would be maintained, and that it would result in the forming of proper organizations. He hoped that Deseronto would be found foremost in the procession. We should form associations to show that we can drop our party feeling for the common good. The time may come when the people in the old land will have no more newspaper and faction fights, but they will be united people, meeting to celebrate the great national day irrespective of creed and party, as we do here.

R. N. Irvine said he was proud of the Irish blood that flowed in his veins. He was not born in Ireland, but hoped some time to visit that country, and after his return promised one of the longest speeches that has ever been heard in Deseronto.

The Chairman proposed all the toasts on the list, and his trite remarks throughout the evening in reference to what was said by the various speakers showed the ready wit of the orators. The主席 said, "I hold the blarney stone, or maybe it is a case of heredity, and one of his ancestors may have done it for him. The toast of "The Queen," having been loudly drunk, was responded to by singing "God Save the Queen." This was followed by the song "The Harp That Once Through Tara's Hall," sung by Mr. Bruce.

The Chairman, in proposing the toast of the evening, "The Irish Races," said he had much pleasure in calling upon the Rev. Ed. Costigan to respond in the first place, to be followed by other speakers.

Rev. Ed. Costigan expressed the pleasure he felt in addressing the hour of responding to this important toast, but said his pleasure was not unmixed, for the subject was a very large one. The text, indeed, is so large that it would be difficult to do justice to it. "I can perhaps best illustrate my feelings towards the subject by telling you a story of an Irishman who lived in a sky scraper in Chicago, and one night, a fire having occurred he got up half dead, hurriedly dressing his clothes and ran out front to the street. A friend of his looked out of a window and, expecting of course that he was killed, called out to him asking him if he was. He looked up and said, 'Not kill, but I'm feared I'm fatal to myself.' That just what I am afraid may happen in regard to this great subject. The Rev. speaker referred to the glorious history of the Irish people, and said they were an intensely religious race. They were even an intensely religious race from the time of the Druids, and that religious intensity was strong upon them when St. Patrick came; and they were ready to receive the Christian religion with open arms. The Rev. speaker said that the good should be only to themselves, but were devoured with the desire to carry the Christian religion into other parts of the world."

He referred to the part the Irish people had taken in the building up of the Empire, and said that while they had not the same power of organization the Anglo-Saxons possessed. The Rev. speaker said, "They had good reason to be loyal to the British Empire; the best of all reasons, they had split their blood to build it up and to defend it. The Empire of Britain was made to Ireland for the service of her sons. The political peace throughout the world is largely due to Ireland."

He paid a tribute to the brilliance of the career of the Irish generals in South Africa. The British Empire was born in the womb of Ireland, and was every man's duty to be loyal to his own creation. He spoke in conclusion of the shamrock, and the Irish flag having been received at court, and hoped that this unity of Ireland would continue to make the Empire great.

On the conclusion of the Rev. gentleman's speech, "The Minstrel Boy" was sung by H. C. Fawkes. In a few well-chosen words, said he was glad to have the opportunity to meet the Irishmen of Deseronto and to find that this great change of feeling had taken place. He said, "I feel sure that a new era has opened for the Irish people, and on

NEW ZEALAND BACKS BRITAIN

People Thoroughly Endorse the Imperial Policy.

The Country Will Support to the Last the Mother Country, as Far as It Lies in Its Power—Meanwhile the Colony Has Just Bid Farewell to Its Fourth Contingent—Cork Speaks Departing Troops—Reiterating for Halifax.

London, March 21.—Mr. Chamberlain has received the following telegram from the Governor and Commander-in-Chief of New Zealand, the Earl of Ranfurly:

New Zealand Backs Britain. "The people of New Zealand wish to express their endorsement of the position taken up by the Imperial Government in declining to allow the intervention of any foreign power in the settlement of the Transvaal in South Africa. The State would be willing to consent to other states being independent."

"My Government assures Her Majesty's Government that New Zealand will support to the last the Mother Country, so far as it lies in her power, in maintaining that position, which has been taken up irrespective of consequences."

"I am desirous to add that there are large numbers of men volunteering,

who are good riders and shots, willing to go to South Africa for the relief of the Imperial forces. If their services later will be required elsewhere."

New Zealand's Fourth Contingent.

Wellington, N.Z., March 21.—In bidding farewell to the fourth contingent of New Zealand troops, yesterday for service in South Africa.

From Mr. R. J. Seddon, emphasized the determination of Australasia to uphold the Imperial prestige. The country had 400,000 male adults, mostly drilled, prepared to defend the colonies, and, if an emergency arose, to send men enough to South Africa to release the Imperial troops at its date. He said that this fourth contingent, after their meetings elsewhere would have a stimulating effect. He made reference to the war in South Africa as being the means of confederating the Empire, and it would do more towards the confederation of the Irish people than anything that has happened in two hundred years.

The toast of "The Dominion of Canada" was ably responded to by Messrs. Devane, Oliver, McGaughen and Egar, the last mentioned gentleman concluding with a Canadian song.

The Town of Deseronto" the next toast, elicited a fine oratory from Acting Mayor Dryden, and Councillors Gault, Purnham and Rixen.

"The Last Rose of Summer," was rendered by H. C. Fawkes.

The toast "Our Guests," brought forth eloquent and patriotic speeches from Mr. J. J. Kerr, Mr. G. W. Gaunt, Nasmyth, Dalton and G. W. Wright.

The toast of "The Press" was responded to by D. McClew.

The toast "The Ladies," was responded to by singing, "For They Are Truly Good Women."

The singing of "God Save the Queen" brought to a close one of the most pleasant social gatherings ever held in Deseronto, and it is to be hoped that on St. Patrick's Day, in future years the Irishmen of Deseronto will have just as pleasant reunions, as at this, their first annual banquet.

Shamrock Time.

(From the Gael.)

—The rock, time and the wild, wise, wallow in the summer sun on eagles' wings. New April weaves them, Take flight and follow the feet of spring. But who, in stranger lands sojourn, Like the boughs for from their forest nest, And like boughs with mourning and wild heart, yearning.

To the soft green of the golden west, Oh, my heart doth follow.

—The rock, time and the wild, wise, wallow,

As it wings its way or the ocean foam, Where the shamrock's springing.

The thrush is singing.

His song of spring my Irish home.

Earth's deep heart awakes today with laughter.

For we do not laugh mere空虚.

For we are only fain to follow after.

The wild wind whistling into one's soul.

Today the rock, time and the wild, wise,

Are the rock, time and the wild, wise,

As it wings its way or the ocean foam,

Where the shamrock's springing.

The song of spring in my Irish home.

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An Old Man's Darling.

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"I am not worthless," she cried out warmly. "He is noble, good and true. I am not worthless. But, Uncle Francis," she said, suddenly, "remember, at a distant time to one of gentle courtesy, 'surely you are only a fool and a tease, your little girl, and I beg you not to use such dreadful language again, for I am insult the man whom I love, and when I shall be no more, you will be, when I shall be no more'."

"Never never," he shouted madly. "Girl you have been spoiled and indulged until you are a fit enough to cry for the moon and expect me to pluck it from you from this time, I will never never marry Leslie Dame!"

It was the first time he had ever denied her anything in the course of her happy, care-free life. And now his cruel and resolute refusal of this new toy she wanted so much, absolutely stonewalled her and deprived her of speech. She sank into a chair helplessly, and looked at him with parted, tremulous lips and with wild, astounded blue eyes. She was half-shocked and incensed; she was, and aching heart, began to explain and argue with her.

"My darling, Leslie Dame is no match for my little girl. She is poor and has nothing to recommend him but a handsome face, and a little talent for dabbling with paints and pencils, while you are a lady and much prettier, and can boast a grand descent. I have no time to say, but I will save you from this folly this time. I will never never marry Leslie Dame!"

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"It will be so long," she moaned, slipping out of his arms and sinking down on the pebbly beach with her face buried in her hands.

Leslie pined on the strand which had slipped from her shoulders and wrapped it carefully about her, for the sea was chilly and damp.

"It may seem long to us now, dear," he said, sitting down beside her, "but in reality it will pass very quickly. I have a great world with such a girl in view, and I have the time of our separation will not be long. I shall be at once to Rome and place myself under the best masters. I have genius, for I feel it within me, and the critics already admit it. Never fear, darling, but that my success will be speedy and brilliant."

"It will be away off to Rome," said the girl. "Oh! Leslie, that seems to me like a world away from the world. Why, you go to Italy? Cannot you study here in this country?"

"Not so well, my little love, as in Italy, where I can have better masters, and better facilities for studying the paintings of the world's greatest artists in the beautiful oil churches and cathedrals. I must have the best instruction, for I want to make the name you have given me famous."

"I am not giving you the choice, girl," he answered, quickly. "I intend you to have the choice, whether you want it or not, and I have the right to see that you shall never marry Leslie Dame."

"And I say that I will marry him! I love him better than any one else on earth, and I will marry him if I repeat it ever, out of my life."

So saying she rushed from the room and pausing only to catch up a dark shawl and wrap it about her, she sped down the grand walk on her way to meet her lover.

She panted outside the gate, and stooping down, panted anxiously back to see if she was followed. The moon was up, shining brightly over everything. She saw her uncle come out on the piazza and drop into his favorite seat. Then the fragrance of a cigar floated out on the warm August air. Leslie Dame was waiting for her, pacing the sand impatiently in the soft moonlight.

CHAPTER IV.

Bonibell ran forward and threw her on her lover's breast for a passion of tears.

"You know all them, my darling?" holding her fast against his wildly thumping heart.

She could not speak for the sobs that came heaving from her aching little heart.

Bonibell had never wept so wildly in all her life. To see her for the sake of which she would die of her grief was a sight to move the world.

"Do not weep, my little love," he whispered. "We were too sanguine of success. But try to bear it bravely, my Bonibell. We both are young. We can bear to wait a few years until my success is assured, and then I will claim you in my own in spite of all the world."

Bonibell did not answer. She continued to sob heart-breakingly, and Leslie could feel her little heart beating wildly against his breast, as if it would burst with the strain of her grief.

So absorbed was he in trying to comfort the agitated girl that he did not hear the sound of an approaching footstep.

The next moment Wild Madge, the sibyl, stood before them and the echo of her weird and mocking laugh blent merrily with the hollow beat of the Atlantic waves.

"Aha," she cried dismally. "You weep, my honey mpid! Ah! said I not that you would have a sorrow hung low over that golden head?"

Bonibell started and clung closer to her lover, while a tremor shook her frame.

Leslie turned angrily and rebuked the old woman.

"Begone," she said sternly. "How dare you come prowling about this lady with your horrid thoughts of evil? Never dare to address her again."

Wild Madge re-retired a few steps and stood looking at him malevolently in the moonlight. Again her laugh rans out mockingly.

"Never fear foul lover, Wild Madge could not harm a hair of that boy! Head you shelter on your breast, but her desire is written. Take the little maid in your arms and spit out into the sea there, and save her from the heart-aches that are beginning now!"

"Be gone, I say!" reiterated the young artist threateningly.

"I obey you," said the sibyl, retreating with her most disconcerting laugh mockingly.

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"Bonibell, who but an hour ago was a boy as a butterfly in the sunshine, now the very elements of tragedy were about him, and he had to struggle with them to the heart."

"Bonibell," he said, quietly. "Do you mean that your uncle would marry you to someone else before I came back to claim you?"

"I don't know," she said. "I hardly think my feeding was as cleanly defined as that. It was a slim, fatigued something I could not fathom, and took no peculiar shape. But in sight it is to do that, for oh! Leslie! Uncle Francis is terribly angry with me."

"I am not angry with that," Bonibell, this presentment of your troubles me. Perhaps I am foolish, but I have always been a half-way home in these things."

"I am not angry with me," she said, shaking her head with that smile in her throat. "Uncle Francis will give some impossible gift until us. When we part to-night, it will be forever."

Hiding her face on his shoulder, she sobbed aloud. Poor little bonny bird! She had been soiling in the blue cloth a few more changes had come in sunlight all her life. Now her bright feathers were clipped, and she walked in the shadow.

"My love has only brought you sorrow," she said, regretfully.

"No, you, you must not think so," Leslie said, earnestly. "It seems to me, Leslie, that you have never been so kind with this man, when I met and loved you. Life has seemed to have a fuller, deeper meaning; the flowers have been sweeter, the sunshine fairer, the sound of the sea has seemed to have a voice that spoke to me of happiness. If you had gone away from me with your love, I should have missed something from my life forever."

I do not guess what a sacrifice of love is in my heart, Leslie. It is a sacrifice that I have made for you."

"Bonibell," he said, anxiously, "in some moments of defiance you may feel tempted to turn him by the betrayal of our marriage; but I implore you to keep me from her for my wife's sake."

"It was a happy thought of yours to bind me thus," answered the young bride, softly. "Now that grim presentment will haunt me no more, and Uncle Francis will be here to bind his threats or his commands while I have his precious secret in my heart."

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"It will never reveal it, Leslie, I give you my solemn word of honor," replied Bonibell, earnestly.

"Thanks, dearest. I only asked the question because I knew it was for the best. Bonibell, I shall think of you always while I live, and I will write to you very often. Will you write to me sometimes, and let me know that you are well and happy?"

"I will write to you often and let you know that I am well; but I can never be happy while I am separated from you, Leslie," she said, sadly.

"Bonibell, how beautiful you look in that white dress," he said, changing the conversation abruptly, seeing that it pained her. "You were the fairest bride I ever saw."

"It is a pretty dress," she said, looking down at the soft mass of muslin and lace; "but I little thought when I put it on for dinner this evening that it would be my bridal dress. I shall always love this dress, Leslie. I will keep it always in memory of to-night."

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MARSHAL LICENSES.

H. BRIGGS, READER OF MARRIAGE
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Copies of this paper may be found on file at
the office of the Washington carriage
company, E. J. Siggers, 558 F Street, N. W.,
Washington, D. C.

The turning in of false fire alarms has become rather too frequent of late, and to offset it the Town Council offers a reward of \$50 for information that will lead to the arrest and conviction of any person or persons who have been guilty of this offence. It is to be hoped that this will have the effect of stopping this practice. When the alarm is turned in, the town is put to the expense of having the brigade turn out. Another thing is that the men are liable to get careless after answering numerous alarms when there is no fire. The penalty for tampering with fire alarm boxes is sufficiently severe to prevent all but the foolhardy from interfering. Some may think it a fine joke to have the brigade turn out needlessly, but in case they are caught and made to suffer the penalties incurred the joke loses its significance. It is to be hoped Deseronto has seen the last of the foolish false alarm.

The Deseronto Fleet.

The following are the officers in command of the steamers of the Deseronto Navigation Co. for the season of 1900:

Resolute—Captain, John Gowans; mate, David Ostrander; chief engineer, John Harrison; 2nd engineer, Stanley LaRue.

Reliance—Captain, Jas. Dougherty; mate, Peter Ostrander; 1st engineer, John Toppings; 2nd engineer, Edward Malone.

Ella Ross—Captain, D. B. Christie; mate, Ben Bowen; 1st engineer, John McDonald.

Deseronto—Captain, Wm. Skillen; mate, Gilbert Arthur; 1st engineer, Owen Flood; 2nd engineer, Charles Welsh.

Armenia—Captain, Samuel Anderson; mate, A. Barnhart; 1st engineer, Thomas O'Neill; 2nd engineer, William St. John.

Rescue—Captain, John Howe; mate, A. Barnhart; 1st engineer, Michael McFaul; 2nd engineer, Michael Toppings.

Nile—Captain, W. J. Day; mate, P. Lynch; 1st engineer, Thos. Timlin; engineer—Captain, Dan McVicker; engineer, W. Stanhope.

New Books.

The following new books have been placed on the shelves of the Deseronto Public Library: Stepmother, Mrs. Alexander; The Puritans, Arlo Bates; The Devil's in the Bar, E. Barr; Colonial Reformer, Newell Ord; Boldberry; Illumination, Harold Frederick; The House of Hidden Treasure, Maxwell Gray; Jack Curzon, A Florida Enchantment, M. S. Bradford; A. C. Gunter; flora Creina, Mrs. Huntington; The Great Gatsby, F. Scott Fitzgerald; The Way of Fire, Helen B. Maxwell; The Phantom Future, Merriman; The Handsons, Katherine Tynan; Wedlock, Heart and Sword, J. S. Winter; The White King, of Manoel, Batten; A Texas Ranger, N. A. Jennings; The Bishops in the Town, H. M. Luckock, D. D.; Salomon, S. Lane-Poole, M. A.; At the Edge of the Gulf, E. M. Smith; Twiss, Day and Night, Old England on the Sea, Gordon Stables; The Deline, Vol. 1 and 2; H. Sienkiewicz; I am the King, S. Stevens; King Nozman, F. J. Stinson; British Policy in South America, Wm. Cowper; The Life of Asa Storer, Wm. Cowper; The Life of Asa Storer, Wm. Arnold; Memories of Dean Hale, Wm. Hale; Life of Samuel Johnson, L. D. L. J. Bowell; Reminiscence of Justin McCarthy by S. H. Fore and There in the Home Land, C. H. Haught; Jack Hamilton; The People, R. Kipling; Artomus Ward's Complete Works, A. Ward.

Death of Miss Marion Gibbons.

In the month of January The Mercury often to people one issue so much that is joyful and so many are sorrowful in the history of one family as it is to day. The insatiable ways of Providence are certainly shown in the events in the home of John B. Gibbons, of Weston, with the past month. Less than a month ago there was rejoicing in the safe return of the son, James Gibbons, after two years of travel and service for the Government in the far-off and dangerous Klondike region. Last week there was further rejoicing at the marriage of the returning son. And this week the family is plunged into the deepest of grief by the almost sudden death of Marion, daughter of John B. Gibbons, and wife of Jas. Gibbons. Miss Gibbons had taken part in the wedding festivities at Weston last week, and did not feel very well after her return on Wednesday. For a day or two nothing more than a bad cold was feared; but by

Sunday there was rapid development of inflammation of the lungs, and by night it was known she was ill. Her father and mother had remained in Lunenburg after the wedding, visiting friends; and the letter announcing the illness of Miss Marion, written on Friday, reached them on Saturday. Though the father did not hit at dangerous news—for that was not thought of when the message was sent—they immediately communicated the news by telegrams of Monday, conveying the news of the serious nature of her illness. Gregor McIntyre drove from this end to the west on Saturday, and when he arrived at Weston, four hours before the entombment, Marion recognized her father, but in a few moments sank into unconsciousness. She was the third daughter of Mr. Gibbons, and had only been married and remaining at home. Her place in the home circle can only be realized by those who have passed through a similar trial. But her amiable and gentle presence will also be missed by the circle of friends who have always been of her hospitable welcome to her father's beautiful country home. The deceased was a member of St. Andrew's congregation of the North American Methodist Church. The funeral will take place at the Martin cemetery at two o'clock this afternoon.

Acting Mayor Dryden remarked that they should prosecute the offender or offenders and punish them heavily.

Moved by Coun. Parham, seconded by Coun. Gault, that the Worship the Mayor has had to go away from town for the benefit of his health, that he be granted leave of absence, by this town, until his return.

Coun. Gault was instructed to write to the Canadian Fire Underwriters' Association to convey a statement as to the fire equipment of the town.

Mr. Gault, in a letter from Newton, medical health officer, asking that a salvo be given him, was favorably received. On motion of Coun. Rixen, seconded by Coun. Parham, he was granted a half day's paid salary to come home Jan. 1, 1900.

Second demands were ordered paid.

The Committee on Legislation re-

ported favorably on the petition from the town of Weston to the Legislature.

In answer to an enquiry Coun.

Geddes said the water committee had

not heard anything further from The Rathburn Company in regard to the matter of water rates.

He said doubt they are increasing their strength with us and we have no word to say for ourselves.

Acting Mayor Dryden thought it would be well for the committee to measure their strength.

He said the town solicitor, who was of opinion,

although he was not sure that the town would not have to pay more

for water, that the town would be

all that is before the Council, but whether the Council was willing to pay that he was not able to say.

Coun. Geddes said that if you open

your pump up goes the price.

He said he kept their meter on

the water free.

He thought they would be

one where the town wanted it.

It was decided that in case the owner of the lot on which the fire hall stands

should decide to sell, the price would be

the town's property on Main street

east of the O'Connor House.

The matter of supplies for the fire

department was left to the committee

to deal with.

Coun. Geddes said that at the last

meeting of the water committee a

price of \$3 per month was fixed as the

proper rate for John Dalton's factory.

The latter thought it was an over-

charge, and the speaker therefore

moved, seconded, seconded by Coun.

Parham that Mr. Dalton be heard

by the Council.

Mr. Dalton addressed the Council,

saying that he thought \$3 a month

altogether too expensive.

He said he could draw water from the river

and he would not be forced to boil

it before he could get to the bay without

going through private property.

He pointed out that it was an impossibility

to run a factory on a small scale

and compete with factories of greater

capacity. He had been struggling

and working and making

and the manufacturing business, but

was trying all the time to keep the

place going. He thought he might be

able to pay \$25 a year for water.

He averred there was not pressure enough

up there to fill the boiler and the only

way he could keep up steam was to

boil the water in the morning and again at noon or at odd times.

He was unable to inject water in the

boiler when there was over 40 pounds

pressure, while they generally run at

40 pounds pressure.

Coun. Geddes enquired if it was not

the fault of his committee if he was

not metered direct with the mains

which he noted.

He thought it would be safer for all

concerned.

Coun. Rixen explained that he had a

large system which was filled with

water from the roof and which was

sufficient to keep the factory running

about half time.

Acting Mayor Dryden thought it a

good plan to have manufacturing

interests in the town.

Mr. Dalton was willing to put in

proper connections and would guarantee

he would not put the town to costs

in case he were left without water

some time.

After some further discussion the

matter was referred to the committee.

The following resolution by Coun.

Rixen, seconded by Coun. Gault, was

unanimously carried:

In view of the great events now

taking place and the stirring scenes

of the revolution in the Chinese

Empire, I do

recommend that the

Government

make a special

appropriation

for the Chinese

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Acting Mayor Dryden thought it a

worthy motion, to show respect

for our brethren, who are fighting

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Office open daily (Sunday excepted) from 7:30 a.m. to 7 p.m.
Mails and post offices are closed at the office as follows: For Napanee and Kingston and all points east at 10:30 a.m. and 3 p.m.; for Bay of Quinte 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.; to Tweed, 8 p.m.; for Belleville and Toronto and all points west at 4 p.m., and 8 p.m.

Mails arriving are due as follows: From Kingston, Napanee and all points east at 4:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; from Montreal, Trois-Rivières and points west at 10:30 a.m. and 2:30 p.m.; from Belleville, Toronto and all points west at 2:30 a.m. and 11:45 a.m.

Registered letters must be posted half an hour before the close of each mail.

N.B.—The mail is made up for all points 6 p.m. on Sundays.

BIRTHS.

HARRISON.—At Deseronto, on the 22nd inst., the wife of James Higgins, of a daughter.

DEATHS.

GIBSON.—At Renfrew on Tuesday, March 13, 1900, of pneumonia, Miss Marion Gibson, sister of Mrs. H. C. Gibson, of this place.

JAMIESON.—At Durban, Natal, South Africa, on February 19, 1900, Albert Jamieson, brother of William Jamieson, Empress Hotel, Deseronto, aged 30 years.

Prairie City News Notes.

WINNIPEG, March 21.—Forty men left for garrison work at Halifax yesterday.

Frank Peoley left for Montreal to-day to take the pastorate of Emmanuel Church.

Friends of the late Major Arnold are arranging to have a life-size portrait of him painted.

At the Spring Assizes yesterday Ed Cameron was sentenced to seven years confinement in Stony Mountain Penitentiary for the killing of George Dullipit with intent to kill. A Galician was found near Emerson shot through the head. It was a case of suicide.

For Sale.

NEW BUILDINGS, SIZE 10 FEET BY 11; posts 11 feet by 9; flat roof; built of dry stone and rough wood, and suitable for back kitchen, woodshed, or barn. Can be bought and removed in sections if so desired. Price \$100.00. Also 1000 feet of hundred feet of wire fencing, and some cedar posts for sale.

JAMES A. DAVIS, Dundas street.



\$50.00 REWARD.

A reward of \$50.00 (fifty dollars) is offered by the Municipal Council of Deseronto for the arrest and conviction of the person or persons who have recently sent in false alarms of fire.

Information can be furnished to the Chief of Police, or to the undersigned.

R. N. IRVINE,
Town Clerk,
Deseronto, 15th March, 1900.

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PREFERENTIAL TRADE.

Mr. Russell's Amendment Carried—Hon. Geo. E. Foster Gives Notice of Another Preferential Trade Amendment.

Orillia, March 21.—The 100 men of the soldiers who will go to Garrison Hall's will be 50 cents a day, but there will be a reduction of 14 cents a week for laundry and in canteens. When they are here in camp, it will be paid by the Royal Garrison, but when they go on Saturday, each man must pay this out of his own pay.

Three Caucus.

Three caucuses were held yesterday. The Liberal Seaford Caucus, organized by the Hon. A. G. Wilson, of the Conservative Caucus, and the Progressive Caucus.

The Conservative Senators, at their meeting, it is understood, decided to amend the Government bill in accordance with Sir Charles Tupper's amendment, considering that this would be tantamount to a six-months' defeat.

The Conservative Commoners' caucus was a most harmonious and largely attended one. The ban of secrecy was lifted on all subjects. It was understood that the opposition plans for the approaching elections were discussed, and it was decided to move an amendment to Mr. Russell's resolution, to the effect that steps be taken to get Great Britain to make a preference its markets to goods from all her colonies in return for a similar boon.

IN THE COMMONS.

The debate on Mr. Russell's preferential trade amendment was resumed by Mr. Macdonald (East Huron), and continued until 11 o'clock by Messrs. T. Dixie Craig, H. G. Borden (Hastings), and Mr. Foster, who, Mr. Foster arose and cheered. He chaffed the Government all round on their preferential tariff, which he said they were not too sure was a good thing and then played with Mr. Russell, concluding with giving notice of the following amendment:

That this House is of the opinion that a system of mutual trade preference between Great Britain and Ireland and the colonies would greatly stimulate international trade, and that the colonies between these colonies and would that promote and maintain the unity of the Empire, and that the colonies, in the short of the complete realization of such a policy, should be considered as final satisfactory.

Mr. Fielding in Reply.

Mr. Fielding replied, and denounced the Opposition for playing fast and loose with the preferential trade question. He did not hope to see England ever favorably consider such a proposal as Mr. Foster's. He defended Mr. Foster's preference by declaring that England Canada had not a preference in English interests, yet she had it in English hearts. Mr. Fielding was frequently applauded.

Mr. McMillan arose at 12:05 and he spoke till 12:50, when a vote was taken on Mr. Russell's resolution. The result was: Yeas 91, nays 46.

It was a straight party vote, with the exception that Bourassa voted nay.

Mr. Fielding said the budget speech would be delivered on Friday. The House arose at 1:10.

Railway Committee Meeting.

OTTAWA, March 21.—At the Railway Committee of the Privy Council yesterday morning the case of the Sun Oil Refining Company and the Gall & Schneider Oil Company against the G.T.R. and the C.P.R. was taken up.

MR. BERTRAM, M.P., DEAD.

The Member for Centre Toronto and Head of the Bertram Engine Company succumbed to Cancer.

TORONTO, March 21.—Mr. George H. Bertram, M.P. for Centre Toronto, and president of the Bertram Engine Works Company, died a little before 6 a.m. this morning.

His death was not unexpected, for Mr. Bertram had been ill for the past four months and sank rapidly during the last two weeks. Mr. Bertram suffered from cancer of the left arm.

Mr. Bertram's Career.

George Hope Bertram was born in the County of Haddingtonshire, Scotland, about 40 miles from Edinburgh, March 12, 1847. He was the son of Mr. John Bertram, who died 10 years ago. At the age of 18 years he came to this country and settled in Lindsay. He engaged in the hardware business, and moved to Toronto in 1881 to engage in the same line. In 1888 he purchased the assets of the John Doly Engine Company and

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Notice is hereby given that the Revised Statutes of Ontario, 1897 chapter 10, section 10, makes it an offence to commit any act against the peace and quiet of the public, and that it is an offence to commit any act which is calculated to annoy or alarm any person.

Notice is hereby given that after such last mentioned date the said executor will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased, and to pay the debts, expenses

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John Clark, a young farmer of Pitts-
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One bottle cured him completely. He suffered with terrible pains in his legs and hips. The numerous other remedies he tried had no effect whatever. Mr. Clark now adds his recommendation to the many others continually coming in.

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DESTRUCTION OF PROPERTY.

Colonial Office Issues a Proclamation in South Africa.

The Political Question is now forcing itself to the front—This Move is Regarded as an Indication that Two Republics Will Be Gored as Crown Colonies—Two Bullets of Interest from Lord Roberts.

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Each pan is in the push;
Today this oddlike chorus rings
Throughout the sugar bush.

Tinkle, tinkle, tinkle tank,
Tunk, tunk, tunk, tank,
Tunk, tank, tinkle, tank,
Tunk, tunk, tinkle, tank.

The girl who skins the syrup bears
The chorus floating thar,
And it tickles in her ears,
She learns to sing it, too.

Tinkle, tinkle, tinkle tank,
Tunk, tunk, tunk, tank,
Tunk, tank, tinkle, tank,
Tunk, tunk, tinkle, tank.

The chitade, the robin red,
Ends the peasant treat;

And the jingle jangles ends in,

To swell the chorus song!

Tinkle, tinkle, tinkle tank,
Tunk, tunk, tunk, tank,
Tunk, tank, tinkle, tank,
Tunk, tunk, tinkle, tank!

THE KHAN.

We're in, March 21, 1900.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS

BALLAHACK.

Miss Lottie Tyner has returned after an extended visit with relatives at Arthur.

Miss Bridget O'Donnell of Epsomville, visited Mrs. D. Kearns on Sunday last.

Mrs. Albert Shier continues very poorly.

W. Hinck and D. Koenig made a business trip to Arden last week.

School has re-opened, but owing to the continued bad weather the attendance has not been very large or regular.

Robert McMillen is very feeble.

Mrs. B. Murphy has returned to her home after visiting her daughter.

John Morrison and James Kearns have returned to their homes after spending the winter in the north country.

James Lacy and sister visited friends in Cloyne recently.

P. Kearns of Tamworth, visited his brother Dennis on Sunday last.

John Flynn, who has been suffering from a gripe, is recovering.

BATH.

Oliver Thurston has gone to Picton, where he has secured work.

Miss Edna Davy, of Kingston, spent a week with her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, of Deseronto, were visiting her mother for a few days this week.

Miss Isobel, of Yarker, spent last Saturday and Sunday with her sister, Mrs. Myers.

Miss Cary Myers, of Kingston, is here visiting her parents for a few days.

Miss Jennie Foster spent last Tuesday with Miss Hattie Chambers.

Mr. Vandewaters and family, of Thompson's Point, have moved into the village.

Mr. McKenty and his son Frank, have returned home from Winnipeg, after an absence of two weeks.

DORLAND.

Mrs. Edna Allison has returned home after visiting Mrs. P. F. Roblin, Nanpean.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Stratton, nee Bertie Brown, of Picton, have returned to their home in Elva, Manitoba, after having spent the winter in Picton.

Mrs. Wilmot Hawley, of Dorland, is visiting her sister, Mrs. Dr. Mallory, in Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. John Van Vlack, of Picton, is the guest of Mrs. Alex. Rutter.

P. T. Roblin, of Nanpean, spent a few days in Dorland recently.

Mrs. D. N. Allison, of Adolphustown, has been in attendance on Mrs. E. B. Brown, Kingston, during her recent illness.

Mrs. Mabel Lawrence, of Sidney, is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. Dorland of Adolphustown.

J. B. Allison and Fred Allison spent last Sunday in Kingston.

ERINSVILLE

T. Whelan, an old resident of this parish died Tuesday the 13th. The remains were placed in the R. C. vault.

Mrs. Maggie M. Murphy who has been visiting her mother the past

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WASHINGTON NOTES

The Building of Warships on the Great Lakes.

The Effect of New Canadian Railroads on U. S. Commerce.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

Washington, D. C., March 16.—It now turns out that Oom Paul, whether by accident or design, asked President McKinley to "intervene" in the war between the British and the Boers, instead of merely asking him to "mediate" or to "act as intermediary." Intervention carried the suggestion of force, which mediation does not. It is of course possible that Kruger, not being thoroughly familiar with the English language, misunderstood the accurate definitions of the words and used the wrong one unintentionally. However, his dispatch was communicated to Great Britain with the explanation that the United States did intend any intrusion on British concerns, but that it would be glad to assist in bringing the war to a close if Great Britain should so desire. Lord Salisbury, replying, stated that the services of neither the United States nor of "any other nation" could be accepted. No doubt, this wording was intended as a warning to the other powers, but if so, it failed in its intention, as the State Department will not give out officially the text of the answer, holding that it is a confidential communication. Later the text of the reply was made public in London.

The Secretary of State has transmitted to Congress the correspondence with the British Government on the subject of modifying the Rush Bagot treaty as to include the building of warships on the Great Lakes. He says that instructions were given to the High Joint Commissioners to try to secure a declaration that it was not contrary to the true intent of the arrangement of 1817 to build vessels of war on the Great Lakes. The British were not to be used or maintained upon those lakes. In 1817 the Great Lakes were independent inland waters, and there was no navigable connection between them and the ocean. Under such circumstances, to build and arm vessels on the lakes was to threaten them there. But matters have changed since then. The negotiations were, however, suspended when the Commission adjourned. The Secretary's request limited the construction of war vessels on the lakes to the capacity of the War Department, which would not even the revenue cutters had to be adapted to get them to salt water. The Secretary's plan, apparently, would stimulate the building of third rate vessels only, and is a disappointment to many people.

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We have several up-to-date Ladies' Jackets that we have placed on sale at cost figures, which will mean quick selling. Now is your time to save money.

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Elmvale, a village south of Penetanguishine 15 miles, has almost every city convenience—streets, shops and dwellings lighted by incandescent electric lights. It is the principal shipping station for Penetanguishine and Barrie, and largely exceeds them in manufacturing establishments. It is a home of a population of 150 families a day.

Mr. Voynier, our popular teacher, lives in Elmvale, and makes his daily trips from there every day and returns at night, a trip very conducive to health when the thermometer is away down to 30 below zero.

Last week was very scarce, probably due to the very severe cold and stormy weather.

A number of farmers in this vicinity are selling out, and going to Manitoba to reside, hence we are having auction sales every week. It is a veritable bonanza for Mr. Tuthope, auctioneer of Elmvale.

W. W. Carter, of Fergusson, purchases wood and timber on this line of railway, hence farmers are busy hauling logs etc. to Phelpston for shipment.

Many residents of Deseronto will perhaps remember Mr. Rollins, a college student, who was on the trail of the fugitive Mr. O'Neil. Mr. Rollins is now stationed at Elmvale.

Mr. Bertram, M. P. Dead, continued from page 5.

organized a joint stock company for the purpose of carrying on the business, which was very successful in the shipping line.

Mr. Bertram, when a young man, took up active interest in politics at Lindsay. During the local campaigns he was several times of the Liberal cause. His business soon, however, occupied him so closely that he had to give up politics. For 30 years he took part in politics, but was only at the solicitation of his friends that he consented to go into politics again.

He was born in December, 1807, after the retirement of the then member, Mr. William Lount, Q.C. In the contest for Centre Toronto he defeated

Mr. O. A. Howland, the Conservative candidate. He was respected by members on both sides of the House, but illness prevented him from taking his seat this session. He leaves a widow, three sons and two daughters.

A Useless Piece of Wirkedom.

Boston, Mass., March 21.—The Anti-Death Penalty League of Massachusetts, which requested an opinion from Wm. Pitt, the English Foreign Secretary, as to whether capital punishment is a legal atrocity, and a species of homicide, incomparably more cruel than most private murders, since it inflicts death after long knowledge of the death to come, has sent a copy of its terms to the victim.

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ADVANCE MOVEMENTS

These Are Indicated by Some Minor Skirmishes With Boers

LORD ROBERTS' LAST REPORT.

Boers Keep Up a Fire at Warrenton—Chance for a Fight at Upington—Boers Massing at Biggarberg—20,000 Boers Guarding the Nine Passes of the Drakenberg Range.

London, March 28.—Reconnaissances of slight importance continue to be the only feature of the war in South Africa.

Lord Roberts writes to the War Office as follows:—

"Bloemfontein, Monday, March 26.—The commander of the 10th Lancers was slightly wounded in an affair of outposts north of the Modder River, March 25."

This bare statement is all that comes from the Commander-in-Chief.

Boers Were Range-Hunting.

Warrenton, March 26.—The movements of the Boers Saturday indicated that they were trying to find range in order to shell the British camp, which moved during the night. The Boers keep up a steady sniping.

The railway line is clear and an armored train arrived here to-day.

Chance for a Fight.

Van Wyksville, Tuesday, March 27.—The Boer command of Steyn Camp is at Upington, with 800 men and ammunition for one good fight. A British advance at Upington has been checked. The rain has ceased and progress is fairly easy.

Boers Massing Biggarberg.

Lady Smith, March 27.—It is reported that the Boers are massing in their entrenched positions at Biggarberg, and it is added that their transport trains are packed at Newcastle in readiness to facilitate their retreat in case necessity should require such a step.

20,000 Boers in the Passes.

London, March 28.—A special to the Daily Telegraph from Lady Smith, dated Monday, says: "There are about 20,000 Boers guarding the nine passes over the Drakenberg range. They are led by Commandant De Beer of Harrismith, a communist of Free State. It is reported that the Boers have more than 100 guns from Biggarberg, and it is not intended to make a stand there."

MAFFEKING BEING SHELLED.

Boers Recommended the Bombardment on March 12.

Mafeking, Wednesday, March 14.—The Boers recommend the bombardment of this place. Major A. H. S. gun, which has been comparatively silent for a week, firing the sharp-shots against strong in the open. The projectiles were well aimed and caused cover, but were dangerous to pedestrians. One shell burst in the court house, killing several natives and wounding four persons. Several women were also slightly wounded.

BOERS' GOOD LUCK.

Commandant Oliver Can Make a Rear Guard Defense.

London, March 28.—(4 a.m.)—The Boers are having a little good luck, and are showing some boldness and are raiding party estimated at 400, as believed by the British forces at Warrenton, the horses on the Kimberley-Bloemfontein wagon road. Monday, and have headed for Jacobshof with the intention of cutting the railway ten miles west. On Tuesday, Oliver Can appears to have gotten his 800 men and 25 miles of wagons into rugged country, where he can make an easy rear guard defense.

British Casualties 10,632.

The War Office issued another table of British losses, showing an aggregate of 16,652, which does not include 4,000 who have been invalidated home.

No More for a Month.

London, March 28.—The Cape correspondent of the Daily News, telegraphed yesterday, as follows: "It is improbable that the advance from Bloemfontein will be made for another month. Gen. Clements is advancing to Bloemfontein in four columns. When Lord Roberts' forces, the march northward Gen. Clements will be left in charge of Bloemfontein."

Clements at Jaggersfontein.

London, March 27.—The Daily Mail publishes the following from Fawcett, dated Tuesday, March 27: "Gen. Clements' column occupied Jaggersfontein and Fawcett with this morning and gained a foothold and entrenchments without opposition."

The British troops were warmly cheered, and Union Jacks are now flying everywhere.

Trying to Check British.

Masern, Basutoland, Monday, March 29.—A small British force commanded by Col. Pule, entered Ladysmith and the British forces in the Boer commandos, composed of the 10th Lancers, then attacked the British, who returned after capturing the Ladysmith. The

British had three men wounded and the Boers are trying to check the British, while their convoy wagons would push on to Senekal.

Free Staters Are a Bad Lot.

London, March 28.—A despatch to the Times from Kimberley (dated Monday), says: "Four hundred Free Staters have taken possession of the road between Kimberley and Paardeberg. They have seized a farm near Panduisfontein. It is rumored that their object is to raid the railway by way of Jacobshof."

Transvaal War Office is Anxious.

London, March 29.—The correspondent of The Daily News at Lorenzo

Marques, telegraphing Sunday, says: "The Transvaal War Office announces that the southern command from Colesberg and Stormberg will join the main body within 48 hours. Some apprehension exists that Commandant Olivier and Commandant Grobler may be cut off."

Col. Herchner is ill.

Carnarvon, Tuesday, March 27.—Col. Herchner of the Canadian Mounted Rifles is proceeding to Cape Town on sick leave.

Cost of Halifax Garrison.

Ottawa, March 28.—The cost of the permanent battalion at Halifax for 12 months is estimated at half a million dollars.

The Halifax Garrison Off.

Montreal, March 28.—The Toronto, Ottawa, Kingston and Montreal contingents to the Halifax garrison, numbering 500 men, left here yesterday.

British Must Be Supreme.

Sydney, N.S., March 29.—The Australian Premier has joined in a telegram to Mr. Chamberlain, declaring that it is undesirable to conclude peace in South Africa, except on terms guaranteeing the absolute supremacy of British rule.

Prepared to Fight.

Durban, March 28.—The British cruiser torrille has sailed for China.

Witnessing for Burglary.

Ottawa, March 28.—Hon. Mr. Mills' bill to amend the Criminal Code has been printed. It deals with such questions as circulating and printing of obscene matter, sedition and lewd tales, with a view of punishing the chief instigator. Whipping is proposed in certain cases for burglary. Combinations of persons for their own reasonable protection are excepted from the operation of the act.

A private despatch received at Shanghai confirms the report that a British missionary has been killed at Tashkent.

A Russian squadron has arrived at Chongming. It is believed this presents a demand for a concession of land at Messang, and it is arousing uneasiness in Japan.

Fred Perry of Montreal is dead. He belonged to the old ultramontane party and was a close friend of that party who not long ago founded the Parliament buildings here in 1849. He also took a fire engine to Paris in 1854, and was thanked by Napoleon III, for aiding in putting out a big fire in the French capital.

THREE BUILDINGS BLOWN UP.

Wreck of the Hand & Teas Fireworks Factory at Hamilton—Mr. Teas Killed—Probable Experimenting.

HAMILTON, March 28.—A workman, Teale, partner with Prof. Hamill, manufacturer of fireworks, was blown to atoms yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock. Just what caused the explosion, which wrecked three buildings in connection with the big manufactory, will never be known. Teale was in the mining building when the explosion occurred in another building, and the second explosion upset a stove in a magazine, and started a fire. The first building was blown to pieces no bigger than a lathe, nothing remaining but the posts. Parts of Teale's body were found in a yard of wax and windows in every house in the block were broken. The fire which started in the magazine was soon extinguished by the fire department. It is supposed that Teale was experimenting with Prof. Hamill, says there was no power in the fuse in which the first explosion took place. A workman named Frederick Baskard was injured by flying timber. The factory is on King street west of Locke street.

LOCKE HILL IS CLEARED.

Hamilton, March 27.—At the request of the Mayor's arrangements have been made to have the body of the late R. M. Wanzer lie in state in the City Council chamber from 10 o'clock this morning till the time of the funeral at 3 o'clock. The City Hall flag is flying at half-mast in respect to the memory of the deceased.

TRUE BILL FOR Manslaughter.

Kingston, Ont., March 27.—A true bill for manslaughter has been returned by the Grand Jury at the High Court sittings against Charles E. Eadie, hotel-keeper, who shot John James, who was escaping from a hen raiding party.

Trying to Check British.

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British "DOOKS" Didn't Do It.

Telegram From T. H. White of the Rainy River Railway Saying They Are Paid \$1 per Day.

Rabbit Wise of Cincinnati died on Monday evening.

It is said that the Prince of Wales will tour the colonies after the war to boost the Imperial Federation idea.

Lady Minto was received by President McKinley in the red parlor, the White House in Washington Monday.

An official estimate of the damage to property in Prussia last year from flood shows an approximate total of \$1,000,000 marks.

British forces in North Borneo have killed Maitsele, the arch-rebel who has thus far induced the natives to rise against Britain.

Miss Helen Gould of New York is said to be maintaining nine or ten chaphaus in the U.S. army in the Philippines at a cost of \$2,000 a month.

Mervin Usher, the young man who relieved P. Moore, the Welsh farmer who was killed in May 9, has been sentenced at Bradford to four months in the Central Prison.

P. M. Allan, teller in the Merchants' Bank of Halifax at Rossland, B. C., has been arrested, charged with appropriating \$800 from the bank. He was there from Montreal, and was popular.

Monday evening Montreal police raided the premises of the Artistic Company in that city, and carried off their belongings to the Central Station. The Artistic is alleged to be a species of lottery.

The Ameer's attitude greatly disturbs the British administration and the troops are being despatched to Tashkent. The Ameer of Afghanistan favors Britain to concentrate 90,000 men at Kandahar.

The estimated revenue for Nov. is Scott during the coming year is placed at \$949,900.67, the largest on record. Of this \$930,000 is expected from iron and coal. The Federal subsidies constitute the largest item of the revenue, amounting to \$432,000.

Mr. R. J. MacKenzie of Mr. William MacKenzie of MacKenzie & Mann, produced a telegram on Monday in Toronto from T. H. White, chief engineer of the Rainy River Railway, stating that the Doughboys received \$1.50 per day, instead of \$1 per day, as stated in the news item.

A private despatch received at Shanghai confirms the report that a British missionary has been killed at Tashkent.

Shanghai, March 27.—The British second-class cruiser Hermonia has been ordered to proceed immediately to Tashkent. The country around Tashkent is greatly disturbed, and according to reports in circulation here, the powers are making arrangements for concerted action. It is reported that a British missionary has been killed at Tashkent.

Probable Experimenting.

Shanghai, March 27.—A workman, Teale, partner with Prof. Hamill, manufacturer of fireworks, was blown to atoms yesterday afternoon about 4 o'clock. Just what caused the explosion, which wrecked three buildings in connection with the big manufactory, will never be known. Teale was in the mining building when the explosion occurred in another building, and the second explosion upset a stove in a magazine, and started a fire. The first building was blown to pieces no bigger than a lathe, nothing remaining but the posts. Parts of Teale's body were found in a yard of wax and windows in every house in the block were broken. The fire which started in the magazine was soon extinguished by the fire department.

It is supposed that Teale was experimenting with Prof. Hamill, says there was no power in the fuse in which the first explosion took place. A workman named Frederick Baskard was injured by flying timber. The factory is on King street west of Locke street.

LOCKE HILL IS CLEARED.

Hamilton, March 27.—At the request of the Mayor's arrangements have been made to have the body of the late R. M. Wanzer lie in state in the City Council chamber from 10 o'clock this morning till the time of the funeral at 3 o'clock. The City Hall flag is flying at half-mast in respect to the memory of the deceased.

TRUE BILL FOR Manslaughter.

Kingston, Ont., March 27.—A true bill for manslaughter has been returned by the Grand Jury at the High Court sittings against Charles Eadie, hotel-keeper, who shot John James, who was escaping from a hen raiding party.

Trying to Check British.

Kingston, Basutoland, Monday, March 29.—A small British force commanded by Col. Pule, entered Ladysmith and the British forces in the Boer commandos, composed of the 10th Lancers, then attacked the British, who returned after capturing the Ladysmith. The

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Scrofula—I was troubled with scrofula and impure blood. A cut on my arm would not heal. Hood's Saraparilla was applied and the cut taken three bottles I was well. *DANIEL ROBINSON, 3243 Treanuey Street, Toronto, Ont.*

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An Old Man's Darling.

BY MRS. ALEX. MC. MILLER

Author of "The Senator's Bride," "Brunette and Blonde," "A Dreadful Temptation," Etc.

ANS Arnold and Felice remained in the same room, moping.

"Perhaps," sneered Miss Arnold, "you have for several weeks attended to business affairs and superfluous lin-

ing, making up of very fashionable and expensive mourning."

Mrs. Arnold did not provide one of

the railings for Bonnibel. She sincerely hoped that the girl would die of her

sorrows and provide the necessity of so

much expense.

Put youth is very tenuous of life. Bonnibel, in her illness and desolation, would willingly have died, but she was not, however, but hopeless and desolate otherwise.

It was a cool, still night in September when the nurses hung carefully round the bed, waiting for the crisis that the doctor had said would come at midnight. It came and the reaper, Death, with his sickle, passed by on the other side.

The meanwhile outraged Justice was on the qui vive for the escombed homicide, Leslie Dane. It was rumored that he had sought refuge in a foreign land, but nothing definite could be learned regarding his mysterious whereabouts.

CHAPTER VII.

October winds were blowing coolly over the sea before Bonnibel Vere arose from her sick-bed, the pale and wasted shadow of her former rosy and bewitching self.

She had concealed but slowly—too slowly, the physician said, for one of her former perfect health and fine constitution. But the weight of grief hung heavily upon her, paralyzing her energies so completely that the work of recuperation had not yet begun.

Two months had elapsed since that dreadful night in which so much had taken place—her secret marriage and her uncle's murder.

She should have had a letter from her young husband ere this, but it was vain that she asked for the mail daily. No letter, and no message came from the underdogs, and to the pangs of grief were added the horrors of suspense and anxiety.

A look of weary, wistful waiting crept into the honest blue eyes that had of old been as cloudless and serene as the blue skies of summer. The rose forgot to come back to her cheek, the shadow of a sad heart was reflected on her beauty.

Upon her face there was the tint of grace.

The pale, shadowed visage of the sick, And its lid were charged with death's tears.

The first day she sat up Mrs. Arnold came to see her. She had only returned from the city a few days before and was making preparations to go back for the winter season.

She sent the nurse away, saying that she would sit with Miss Vere a little while herself.

It was a lovely day, warm and sunny for the season, and Bonnibel sat in her easy chair near the window where she could look out upon the wide expanse of the ocean with its restless blue waves, rolling in upon the shore with a solemn monotony. She loved the sea, and was always sorry when the horrors of winter residence in the city.

"You have grown very thin," Bonnibel said her aunt, giving her a very scrutinizing glance, as she reclined in her chair, wrapped in a warm white cashmere dressing gown, to which her hair and a few bows of black velvet in token of her bereavement. "It is a pity the doctor had to shave your hair. You look a sight."

Bonnibel put her hand up to her brow and touched the soft, balmy rings of gold that began to cluster thickly about her blue-veined temples.

"It is growing out again very fast," she said, "but you do not notice any way. There is no one to care for my hair now."

"You mustn't," Bonnibel answered, and the wealthy widow left the room.

So a few weeks after, while nature was putting off her gay livery and donning winter hues, Bonnibel laid aside the bright garments she had been wont to wear, as she had already laid aside the joy of life, and donning the black robes of bereavement and bitterness.

"I am growing out again very fast," she said, "but you do not notice any way. There is no one to care for my hair now."

"You are mistaken, then," said Mrs. Arnold, sharply.

"It grieves you to be as beautiful as you can now, for your face is your fortune."

"I do not understand you, aunt," said the young girl, gravely.

"It is time you should, then," was the wry rejoinder. "I suppose you think now, Bonnibel, that your poor uncle has left you fortune?"

Bonnibel looked at her in surprise, and the widow's eyes shifted uneasily beneath her gaze.

"Of course I believe that Uncle Francis has provided for my future," said the girl, gravely.

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"My uncle died without a will," reported Bonnibel, gravely.

"Yes," Mrs. Arnold answered, coolly.

"Oh, but, aunt, you must be mistaken," said Bonnibel, quickly, while a slight flush of excitement blushed her pale cheeks. "Uncle Francis did leave a will. I am sure of it."

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FRIDAY, MARCH 30, 1900.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

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W. H. STAFFORD, ISSUER OF MARRIAGE LICENSES, Deseronto, Ontario.

Copies of this paper may be found on file at the office of the Washington Correspondent, E. G. Siggers, 95 F Street, N. W., Washington, D. C.

Local Notices.

Bewilderingly beautiful is the world of those who have been favored with a glimpse of the Easter Millinery of 1900.**Mrs. A. Wright** announces that Thursday, Friday and Saturday of next week are the days set for the opening.

Free show all next week at the Open House.

See Buchanan's range of Men's \$8.00 Suits.

Howard Curtis the well known character comedian, at Taylor's Opera House all next week.**Curtains, Polcs and everything** complete at Buchanan's.

the testimonial as a leader in the movement, and the photograph beautifully mounted, of every boy and every girl who collects five dollars and upwards is to be had at the gift and testimonial. The latter of which will be in form suitable for placing amongst the tributes from her loyal subjects placed in the window case of which the public can enjoy a view of.

The presentation of this great testimonial from the children of Canada, through Lord Minto, accompanied by the photos of the Queen, who are to be present, will be a touching moment in her life, and it is an opportunity which will probably come only once in a life time to the children of Canada. Boys' and girls' savings and special plant savings lists and particulars of the movement can obtain them by mailing a postal card to the Montreal Star. Photographers all over Canada are offering to photograph free to place in the Queen's testimonial the boys and girls of Canada who identify themselves successfully with the movement. Subscriptions by the thousands are pouring into the Star office.

Good Team Drowned.

On Tuesday a team of horses belonging to Mr. and Mrs. C. C. C. of Cosey's Point ran away at the shipyard and took to the ice, running as far as the coal dock, where they struck thin ice and went through. They broke loose from the vehicle while the ice, the boy said, then started in the water and was not too bewildered to give an alarm in time. Morley Hicks raw them, but was not able to effect a rescue. The team was salvaged at about \$30.00.

Missionary Services.

Rev. J. J. Rice, of Belleville, will preach missionary sermons in the Methodist church on Sunday. Mr. Rice is a former pastor in Deseronto, and many of his old friends will be pleased to see and hear him.

Cheese for England.

The last shipment of cheese for this season from the Deseronto herd ran away on Tuesday. The consignment consisted of two cars which contained about 1,000 boxes, and was shipped to London, England. The quantity of cheese handled by the cold storage this season has been enormous, and no one can say it has been handled in any way. In other words, Deseronto cold storage has a reputation that is envied by the proprietors of refrigerating plants throughout the province.

Boys for Farmers.

A party of boys is expected early in April. They are fine healthy lads; some have sisters, and are anxious to find a home in the U. S. Application, accompanied with minister's reference, may be sent to Rev. Robert Wallace, Marchmont Home, Belleville.

Lost a Valuable Horse.

Wen J. G. Allison, of Marysville, went to his stable on Friday morning last he found a valuable Percheron mare had been stolen. He immediately called in a veterinarian to save the animal, but his efforts were fruitless, as she died on Monday morning. She was one of a team of matched horses which stood 17 hands high, and aged about 7 years. It is supposed that she was taken to the U. S. The team was one of the best in the neighbourhood, they being a beautiful grey and finely proportioned. Big powerful animals, they made a day's work in the fields behind them a burden to their drivers without fatiguing themselves. The dead animal was given to Mr. Allison, who refused \$50 for a weanling colt. The dead mare a short time ago. He feels the loss of the animal keenly.

A Cure for Love.

Here is an item that might interest some of the members of the Old Maids' Matrimonial Club who were pinning their hopes on finding a mate. It is two ounces of dillseed, one pound of resins, two ounces of common resin, two ounces of experience, a sprig of time and three quarts of cooling water of consolation. Mix them thoroughly with a few of the jokes of the day, and you will be told on the backbench and get a dose of fire of love to them, then sweeten with the sugar of melancholy. When cool, skin with the spoon of forgetfulness, and cork it in the bottom of your heart (if you have no heart, take five boxes of soap). Take it in the morning when the spouse comes on. In extreme cases marriage is the only and surest cure for love. Avoid using Paregreen, and don't hold your head under water for more than thirty minutes.

Stricken With Paralysis.

Hugh McCullough, of Wellington, was stricken with paralysis on Monday while talking to Foreman Donnelly at the shipyard. The Captain had come over on the stage and when he arrived in Deseronto he was feeling rather cold and ill. He went to the shipyard to see Foreman Donnelly when he suddenly fell to the ground perfectly helpless. He was immediately conveyed to Janicson's Hotel and Dr. Neale called in. It was found the patient was suffering from paralysis. After he fell in the shipyard he never recovered consciousness. Capt. McCullough had charge of the steamship Wellington for a number of years.

Capt. McCallough passed away at 11:30 last night.

Spring Military Opening.

Mrs. A. Wright intends having her spring military opening this Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 5, 6, and 7 April, and invites the ladies of the town and the grand display of new goods, including all the latest novelties, in hats and trimmings, and wishing to thank them for their past友情 and will continue to do so when it comes to phasing in style, work and price.

Rev. Mr. McMillan, M. A., of Kingston, is to occupy the pulpit at Deseronto on Sunday.

WILLIAM FRAZAR STUART.

An Old and Respected Citizen Has Joined the Great Majority.

At fifteen minutes past ten o'clock on Tuesday night William Frazer Stuart died at his residence, 81 George Street, at the advanced age of eighty-nine years five months and eight days. The deceased was born near the town of Boyle, County Leitrim, Ireland, in the year 1811, and his ancestors for two or three generations had lived in that neighbourhood, but had not a drop of Irish blood in their veins, being of old Jacobite stock, the Frazer. An ancestor of the deceased died from Scotland to Ireland, after having been deprived of a finger and her tongue to prevent her betraying those to whom she confided loyalty.

In 1849 deceased was married to Miss Eliza Johnston, who survives him. The issue of the marriage was five sons and three daughters, all of whom are deceased. The wife of one of our deceased, Mrs. Michael Stuart, these are: Mrs. Wm. Porter, Kingston; Mrs. Eliza Deseronto; William F. and Richard, Cleveland, Ohio; James, St. Louis, Mo., and George, Lincoln, Neb.

In 1851 he married to Mrs. Elizabeth, the immediate family a large number of grand-children and great-grandchildren, most of them lost.

In 1845 Mr. Stuart came to Canada with his wife and son John, then a boy of about 10 years old, and settled in the township of Elgin, County of Lambton. For some time he taught school in that section.

The deceased came from a fighting race, and evidently the instinct was strong upon him, for fifty-six years ago he was a member of the 10th Battalion and sixteen years later he joined the Hamiton Battalion of Artillery, and was present at the inauguration of General Brock's monument at Queenston Heights. Later on he enrolled with No. 3 Company of Rifles volunteers at Kingston Ontario, under Captain (afterwards Major) Phillips. Mr. Stuart and his two sons, James and William, took part in the Fenian raid of 1866. At that time Mr. Stuart was stationed at Kingston Penitentiary under the command of Captain Mitchell.

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plans, a tale of life in an English prison, one of American newspapers and political life, and a humorous "scientific miscellany." Nearly all the sketches are fully illustrated.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS.

Engine No. 7, of the Bay of Quinte Railway, is now in charge of Arch Smyth.

The search came in like a lion and the indomitable she-who-would-be-a-lion came with her departure with the lion-like.

Extra train is still running on the Bay of Quinte Railway to accommodate the heavy traffic.

The ice on the bay gives promise of long and warm weather.

The Daughters of Rebekah have in contemplation a red, white and blue social to be held the latter part of next month.

The rhythm of the steel skate has come home to the last time this season. The "critics" band ring is being discontinued.

Denis and Winnie Caughlin, who have been flying on the Bay Quinte Railway, have gone to take similar positions on the Canada Atlantic Railway.

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The Red Widow Brown held the boards at Naylor's last night. The cast is a most capable one and the play was thoroughly enjoyed by a large audience.

J. G. Allison, of Marysville, sold a 20-year-old heifer to Mrs. H. Rathbun, Belleville, last week. On Monday Mrs. Wm. Phillips purchased two cows from him, paying therefor \$60.

The Rev. Prof. Jordan, of Queen's University, preached two eloquent sermons in the Church of the Redeemer, and Sunday, Large congregations were present at both services.

The ladies of Upper Lodge, L. T. H., will hold a social in Beaconsfield Hall next Wednesday evening. A good programme has been prepared, and dainty refreshments will satisfy the inner man.

Jas. Higgins took engine No. 4 to Gananoque for the Thousand Island excursion and made No. 8 back to Deseronto. No. 4 has been in the locomotive shop for some weeks undergoing extensive repairs.

Mrs. Hill has returned to Deseronto from Hamilton, where she was most successful in procuring new members for the I. O. O. The Tribune hopes to give a more detailed account next week.

The meeting of Aberdeen Lodge, Daughters of Rebekah, which had been indefinitely postponed till one week from tonight, the following regular meeting will be held on Thursday, April 12, as the meeting night falls on Good Friday.

Special Easter services have been held in St. Vincent de Paul's church this week. On Monday and Tuesday evenings Vespers have been sung and Mass celebrated on Tuesday evening.

W. H. Hunter, proprietor of the Royal Hotel, Napanee, has secured a renewal of his lease for the next five years, and that popular hostelry will continue in his capable hands.

Mr. Hunter has had a number of himself among the commercial men of the town, and as a consequence the Royal is favorably mentioned when a stranger intends to visit Napanee.

An afternoon tea at the residence of Mrs. Henry Briscoe, St. George street, on Wednesday was well attended. This was probably the last of these popular teas given at intervals by the Cheltenham and Art Society of St. George's church.

The attendance throughout the season at these gatherings has been entirely satisfactory.

The Salvation Army will hold a special meeting at their barracks on Monday evening for the enrollment of new soldiers and commissions of sergeants.

A full attendance is earnestly requested to this meeting. A fine programme is being prepared for the occasion.

A. C. Stover, of the head office staff, returned to his desk on Saturday after having had a vacation of a couple of weeks.

Jas. H. Sharpe, who has had charge of the West End Mission, leaves next Monday for the Whig.

Mrs. L. E. Morden and daughter Muriel have returned home from Bowmanville after a pleasant visit.

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Richard Stewart and Wm. F. Stuart, who were in town attending the funeral of their father, returned to their homes in Cleveland, Ohio, last night.

W. H. Oliver, superintendent of the Standard Chemical Co., spent Saturday from home. He has been on a tour of the continent of Europe.

Walter Burnip, of Flushing, N. Y., has been spending a couple of weeks with his parents, Mill street, and renewing old acquaintances in Deseronto, returned home on Saturday.

C. E. Rathbun and D. McIntyre took a vacation this week. They were elected delegates to the Grand Council of the Canadian Order of Chosen Friends, which is in session in that city.

Mrs. P. Slavin was removed from Montreal where she had gone to undergo an operation for the removal of the new sprouts of cancer.

Rev. W. S. McTavish, B. D., has been doing good work at the "critics" band ring in the Public Library building for the purpose of forming a Veterans' Association. All veterans are invited to attend.

The Royal Army of Canada is doing good work among the veterans in this province.

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Since Pa Shaved Off His Whiskers

I haven't had such jolly fun for forty thousand years.

for I laughed until I thought my eyes was runnin' out in tears.

We're never been so happy as we are now.

My wife she's a good wife.

She's a good wife, she's a good wife.

DESERONTO POST OFFICE.

Office open daily (Sunday excepted) from 7:30 a.m. to 7 p.m.

Mails for despatch are closed at the office as follows: For Niagara and Niagara Falls and all points east of 160° N. to and including the Bay of Quinte Ry. and all points to Tweed, 8 p.m.; for Belleville and Toronto and all points west at 4 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Times of mailing are as follows: From Kingston, Niagara and all points east at 4:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.; from Montreal, Prescott, and points east of Kingston at 2:30 p.m.; from Belleville, Toronto and all points west at 2:30 a.m., 4:30 p.m. Registered letters are posted half an hour before the close of each mail.

N. B.—The mail is made up for all at points 6 p.m. on Sundays.

BIRTHS.

FINNIGAN.—At Deseronto on Sunday, March 27, 1900, the wife of Robt. J. Finnigan of a son.

LUFFMAN.—At Deseronto, on Saturday, 24th inst., the wife of Chas. Luffman, of a daughter.

DEATHS.

STUART.—At Deseronto, on Tuesday, March 27, 1900, William Frazer Stuart, aged 89 years 5 months and 8 days.

1900 Blouses!

Not 1900 Blouses in number but Blouses made for the up-to-date people of 1900.

As we did not have any left over last year the Blouses we are now showing are all new.

Prices and qualities range from 50¢ to \$1.75 and we are confident that we show the nicest range in town.

Come and see them, we like to show goods.

Gentlemen.

We have a large range of new goods that will interest you.

We have up-to-date patterns in Colored Shirts which are, by the way they are selling, the most popular line we have ever had.

If you are wanting a new shirt or thinking something about it call in at The Corner Store and we will be pleased to show you our stock.

New Neckwear and Hats for Easter.

We bought a large range of neckwear in the latest styles and colors for the Easter trade and although we only received them a few days ago they are selling rapidly.

The up-to-date for spring and summer is the flowing and four-in-hand tie. We have them at 25c, 50c and 75c each.

Do not put off buying your new tie until a day or two before Easter, better choose now before the best patterns are sold.

What About That New Hat?

We received this week the newest shapes in Fedoras and Stiff Hats in Blacks and Browns.

See our special Black Stiff Hat at \$1.50. If you need a new hat do not forget

Jas. Buchanan
THE CORNER STORE

Attention, Veterans!

All the Veteran Volunteers in Deseronto, especially those who have been awarded medals, are requested to meet in the Council Chamber, Col. Block this (Friday) evening, March 30, at 8 o'clock, to consider the proposal to organize an Association.

ONTARIO PERMANENT BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION

Have started a branch of their business in Deseronto for the purpose of selling stock and making loans.

The Directors of the Board are as follows: E. D. VANDERHOOF, M. D. — President; A. R. HAGUE, — Vice-President; J. MORRISON, — Secy.-Treas. and Legal Advisor; G. E. DODGE, — Solicitor; G. C. CHAMBERS, — Director; NATHAN GULICK, — Director.

Easy Terms on Loans and Good profit to Investors.

G. M. WRIGHT, Gen. Agent.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

Representative Sulzer Tries to Arouse Feeling Against Great Britain.

A New Railway to be Built in Cuba By Sir William Van Horne and Others.

Special Correspondence of The Tribune.

Washington, D. C., March 23.—By a party vote, the resolution introduced in the House of Representatives by Mr. Sulzer, of New York, inquiring as to British fortifications along the Canadian border, has been laid on the table. The following was the text of the resolution: "Resolved, that the Secretary of War is hereby directed to inform the House of Representatives as early as possible what fortifications Great Britain is erecting, constructing and completing along the northern frontier of the United States, especially at Puget Sound and other places on the Pacific Ocean contiguous to the State of Washington and the District of Alaska." The Committee on Military Affairs considered the resolution and referred it to the Secretary of War for his consideration. It was returned with the following letter from the Adjutant-General: "The information the department possesses in this and like cases has always been held to be confidential, and for good and sufficient reasons has not been made public. It is remarked, however, that Great Britain, so far as the department is informed, is in no instance erecting fortifications trespassing upon our rights." H. C. Corbin, Adjutant-General.

Upon receipt of this, the committee reported the resolution adversely. Mr. Sulzer, addressing the House on the subject, said: "There is a feeling all over this country that the Administration has absolutely and abjectly surrendered American rights to British interests. It has done so in Alaska, it has done so in regard to the Nicaraguan Canal, it is doing so in the Orient, in the Philippines, in China. It has been done by Great Britain in this war in South Africa. (Applause on the Democratic side.) If it had not been, what the Administration did the other day, after consulting with Lord Pauncefote, after being told that to do so in South Africa there would have been a concert of European powers which would have demanded the cessation of war in South Africa. The Administration here is more English than the administration in London; and it is time for us to stand up to do so, and talk for America's rights against British interests." The House then voted, 110 to 97, to lay the resolution on the table. The affair is of interest as showing the state of feeling among the members of the Administration toward Great Britain.

It cannot be denied that a painful impression has been produced in this country by cables from London, which were afterwards confirmed by an interview with former consul Mervin of Pretoria, alleging that the U. S. State Dept. General had cabled to President Kruger before the beginning of the South African war, at the direct request of President Kruger and Steyn, begging him to intercede with Great Britain to prevent the war, and that the President had agreed to do so. A favorable reply which might have averted hostilities, was looked and hoped for up to two days before the sending of the ultimatum, but it did not come. Of course, no one can say now what the effect might have been had President Kruger acted on this request. It is one thing to intercede and stop a war after serious losses have been experienced, and quite another to try to prevent the beginning of one. The fact that Great Britain will not now accept any mediation is no proof that she would not then have accepted arbitration. At any rate, after the disclosure has aroused further feelings against the President, who, it is thought, should at least have been courteous enough to return an answer to such a request, no matter how problematical it may have been. His failure to do so will certainly give strength to Anglophile sentiment of a portion of the country.

The news from Ottawa that the High Joint Commissioners are soon to receive her with pleasure. The causes of their summary adjournment have always been enveloped in mystery, not for lack of information, but because there is too much information and of too varied a contradiction to be sure what the real cause was. That they were political in nature is the only thing that can be said with certainty. The State Department refuses to make any statement on the matter of re-convening, but it is suggested that Sir William will be prepared to make some overture in regard to the same, which part the last commission, which he feels assured will serve the purpose of starting the negotiations afresh.

Sir William Van Horne, recently promoted to the manager of the Canadian Pacific Railways, has this week to submit to the President and the Secretary of War his plan for the construction of a complete railway system in Cuba. Sir William has \$60,000,000 in capital at his disposal for this purpose, which he has obtained in a few moments the other day by a group of American citizens to whom he submitted his plans. Pierpont Morgan, Mr. Rockefeller, Mr. Flager, Mr. W. M. Morgan, D. O. M. Sargent, Thomas Granville, Mr. Dodge, and others offering as much as he might need for the purpose. Sir William unfortunately visited Washington at an inopportune time, because the Secretary of War and three members of the Committee on Cuban Relations were absent. He has gone to New York

and will return next week for a conference with them.

A large delegation is here from Chicago asking Congress for an appropriation of \$25,000,000 to extend the Chicago drainage canal so as to have a waterway for ocean vessels from Lake Michigan to the Gulf of Mexico and thence to the Atlantic.

The proposition is popular, but it is doubtful whether anything can be done at this session because both houses of Congress are thoroughly dominated by the old and Republican Senators and Representatives seem to be thinking about nothing but their own re-election.

Canada need therefore not fear the opening of a fresh route to the sea away from her, for some years to come.

The programme committee of the western section of the Methodist Church, representing the United States and Canada, met here a day or two ago and practically completed a tentative programme of subjects and speakers for the Ecumenical Conference to be held in London, beginning September 4, 1901.

It is to be held in the Tabernacle of the eastern section of London, and if approved will be the programme of the conference.

E. G. SIEGERS.

Novelties, the latest and most artistic, are to be viewed at the Easter opening of millinery, which takes place at Mrs. A. Wright's parlors next Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Capital and Rent, **All paid up** \$18,000,000

SAVINGS BANK DEPARTMENT.

Savings deposits received for any amount. Interest allowed at current rates on balance, time without notice. Interest can be withdrawn at any time.

Interest added to deposits half-yearly.

F. J. COCKBURN,
Manager Deseronto Branch.

For Sale.

NEW BUILDINGS, SIZE 40 FEET BY 80 FEET, 11 feet by 9; flat roof; built of dressed and planed timber, shingled, and suitable for back kitchen, woodshed, or barn. Can be bought and removed in sections if so desired. Price \$100.00 per section. One hundred feet of wire fencing and cedar posts for sale.

JAMES A. DAVIS, Dundas street.

Notice to Creditors.

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF Mary Ann Finlayson late of the Town of Deseronto, in the County of Hastings, Wm. W. C. Finlayson, Executor.

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the will of Mary Ann Finlayson, deceased, dated the 21st day of April, A. D. 1900, to send to the Probate Office, Deseronto, the Cullings of the Town of Deseronto executor of the last Will and Testament of the said Mary Ann Finlayson, and to file with the same, addresses and descriptions, the full particular accounts and the nature of the securities (if any) held by them at the time of her distribution.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE BRIDGE ST. BELLEVILLE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN TO THE EXECUTOR OF
MARY ANN FINLAYSON, DECEASED,
Dated this 21st day of March, A. D. 1900.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN to the Parliament of the Dominion of Canada at its present session for an act to be made for the regulation of the main line, extensions and branches of the Bay of Quinte Railway Company and for authority to produce and dispose of any surplus electric or other power, to acquire mines and work same, and for other purposes.

R. C. CARTER,
General Manager,
Bay of Quinte Ry. Co.

For Sale.

200 ACRES IN THE 1st CONCESSION in the Township of Tyendinaga, bordering on a spring creek at the Catholic church, Marysville, 60 acres under hay, 20 prepared for spring crop. Good house and cellar, good well and a charming garden. Good trees. Good barn and sheds. 6 acres of firewood and building timber, cedar fences, all for \$2,000. A small payment down, balance can stand at 5 per cent.

Also 200 acres 2 miles east of the city of Belleville in the 2nd Concession in the Township of Thruway, a private property, 100 acres under hay, 20 prepared for spring crop. Good house and cellar, shaded with cedar grove; 100 head can drink at once. 2 large barns and sheds. Stabling for 35 cows and 14 horses. Large 2 story house, good barn, water in house and stable, also 3 Lambert Jersey bulls, 1, 2 and 3 year old. A few young cows, choice milkers with calf. \$1,400.00, most reasonable terms given.

J. S. McGURN,
Belleville.

I have an unlimited supply of cash to offer to the borrowing public at

5 Per cent per Annum

upon desirable farms or town property.

Real Estate Values Have Touched Bottom

There are now looking for farms

It is a good time to buy. To those having

incumbrances upon their properties, it might be more profitable to change. I would be

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Mrs. Slavin has been in Montreal all week selecting New Goods for the Easter Trade, and we expect to have them all

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Come and see them. We have opened this week a fresh importation of

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In these days of imitations it is well for everyone to know what he buys. Especially is this necessary when a matter of health is involved.

There are so many imitations of Doan's Kidney Pills on the market—some of them absolutely worthless—that we ask you to be particular about the medicine you buy and the merits of the Maple Leaf are on every box you buy. Without this you are not getting the original Kidney Pill, which has cured so many severe cases of kidney complaint in the United States, Australia and England, as well as here in Canada. The Doan Kidney Pill Co., Toronto.

News Notes.

The canals in New York state are to open April 10.

Constipation is cured by Hood's Pills.

Michael Kenzie, of Conestogo, committed suicide by shooting himself through the head.

Burdock Pills do not grip or sicken. They cure Constipation and sick Headache.

Hamilton City Council has decided to ask Judge Snider to investigate the recent fire.

To Destroy Worms and expel them from children or adults use Dr. Low's Worm Syrup.

Details of the plans for the new C. P. R. station and hotel to be erected at Winnipeg have been completed.

Norway Pine Syrup cures Coughs, Colds, Hoarseness, Sore Throat, Asthma, Bronchitis, etc.

Mr. Charles Eddy, of London Township, who has won the first for his beauty and skill, the horse running away.

Coughs, Colds, Sore Throat, Asthma, Bronchitis, and all Lung Troubles are quickly cured by Hargrave's Pectoral Balsam.

Col. McGill will resign from his staff position at the Royal Military College to manage the Frontenac Loan & Investment Society.

"Better to have never." It is best, however, to be never late about taking Hood's Sarsaparilla to purify your blood. Take it now.

The Government buildings at Cape Town narrowly escaped destruction by fire. The State papers, after being much damaged, were removed.

AN EXPERT BOX MAKER.

DURHAM BROWN, OF KENMORE, DRIVES FIVE HUNDRED NAILS IN EIGHTEEN MINUTES.

Kennedy, March 23.—Dudson Brown of this town has the distinction of being able to drive one-and-a-quarter-inch nails at the rate of five hundred in eighteen minutes, and keep it up. He is a cheese-box maker, a trade that requires much stooping. A short time ago his back gave out, and he invented a stool and leg and thigh. He was unable to sit and had to invent a machine to drive nails. However, he is driving nails in the natural way now, and Dodd's Kidney Pills are the cause of his cure. Mr. Brown says: "After taking one dose of the pills I began to feel an improvement in my condition and before I had finished six boxes I found myself nailing in the natural way and Jack-in-a-Pinch (the nailing machine) discarded. Dodd's Kidney Pills are all and even more than is claimed for them."

The Railway Committee at Ottawa has fixed Thursday, April 5, for the consideration of the Kettle River Rail-way bill.

SPENT A FORTUNE.

"Yes, I am completely cured," said Mr. Jas. Davison, of Oconto, Ont., in reply to a question, "and

I have to thank Dr. Hall's Rheumatic Cure for my relief. I suffered from sciatica in the joint of my left hip for ten years. For six years of that time I was a helpless invalid, unable to move about. I was reduced in flesh, and unable to partake of food. I spent every dollar I had in seeking relief, but without obtaining it. I passed through the hands of three Kingston doctors, and each pronounced my case incurable. I told everyone people recommended, but I did not benefit. Before I had used half a bottle of Dr. Hall's Rheumatic Cure I obtained relief, the first in ten years. In all I took about six bottles, and I am well and strong to-day as ever I was, except for my short leg which the rheumatism caused.

"Previously I could scarcely walk half a dozen steps, and arose and sat down with great difficulty and pain. When I first began to take the medicine I weighed only 100 pounds. Now I weigh 167 pounds, and am daily gaining weight. I cannot say too much for the medicine, but I seek God's blessing on the maker on account of the good it has done me."

Dr. Hall's Rheumatic Cure is put up in 50 cent bottles, containing ten days' treatment. It is safe by all druggists and dealers in medicine. The Dr. Hall Medicine Co., Kingston, Ont.

THE ETERNITY OF ART.

Because the singer's voice is strong; A singer's nose can tell— It may live long and long.

For lagerd heart or feet May bring to harm to all; Once in a while, however, Life holds it to her heart.

—John Vance Cheney in Atlantic.

CUPID IN A BOX.

A Wedding Under Difficulties.

There are sunrises enough about this place! There is the colonel's arrival in town to take up quarters in the colonel's house, the man who has been detailled to watch me during my temporary confinement. What an entrance to place an officer under arrest for such a slight breach of discipline as that of which I am accused!

What a brutal air these sentences have! It is true that I myself have not a very spiritual air. How stupid it is here! I shall certainly dislodge my jaw with a blow, and the Vicomtesse will be shocked to see me this way.

It seems to me that my friend Adjutant Major Gelbert smiled wickedly as he took my saber after my arrest. It seems to me that he has been very suspicious of my intentions, and the vicomtesse will be shocked to see me this way.

"A letter for you, Lieutenant."

"Ach! Give it to me. It is from the vicomtesse."

"Dear Monsieur! I wish you would so kind as to accept this opera for my evening. I am sending for this favor perhaps I have a sufficient excuse."

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